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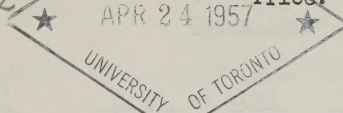
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY PAYROLLS, FEBRUARY, 1957.

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Employment in the major non-agricultural industries showed further seasonal curtailment at the beginning of February. The loss of 2.2 p.c. from Jan. 1 exceeded that reported at the same date in 1956. At 118.7 on the 1949 base, however, the index established a new high for the time of year, 5.7 p.c. above the Feb. 1, 1956, figure. The payroll index showed a seasonal rise of 2.6 p.c. in the month, and at 184.9, was 12.7 p.c. above its position 12 months earlier. The weekly wages and salaries averaged \$66.65, a new peak, as compared with \$63.58 in the holiday week of Jan. 1, and \$62.43 at Feb. 1, 1956. Previously, the highest per capita figure was \$66.24, at Nov. 1, 1956.

On the whole, industrial employment was quieter than in the preceding survey week in all provinces except Prince Edward Island. Apart from Newfoundland and New Brunswick, all areas reported greater activity than at Feb. 1 of last year; the declines in the two just mentioned were small. The weekly payrolls disbursed by the larger industrial establishments were lower than a month earlier in Newfoundland, New Brunswick and Saskatchewan, but elsewhere moved up; gains of 4.1 p.c. reported in Nova Scotia and Ontario were most noteworthy. In all provinces, the latest indexes were above those recorded a year ago. Except in Prince Edward Island, the general averages of weekly wages and salaries in all areas were higher than in the holiday week of Jan. 1, and also than in the week of Feb. 1, 1956.

Employment generally was lower than in the preceding survey in forestry, construction, transportation, storage and communications, public utility operation, trade, and in the service industries for which data are obtained. The largest losses in staffs were reported in trade, logging, transportation and construction. There was a moderate increase in mining and factory employment. The index in the latter rose by 0.2 p.c. to 115.0, which was 4.4 p.c. over the Feb. 1, 1956, figure. Weekly payrolls in manufacturing advanced by 5.9 p.c. in the month, and by 10.9 p.c. in the year. Per capita wages and salaries reported in this group of industries mounted by \$3.73 to \$69.17, the highest in the record, slightly above the previous maximum of \$68.78 in the week of Dec. 1, 1956. The Feb. 1, 1956, figure was \$65.05.

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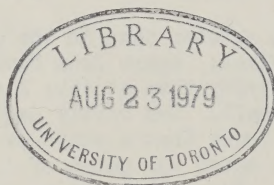
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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at Feb. 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

<u>Area</u>	<u>Employment</u>			<u>Payrolls</u>		
	Feb. 1 <u>1957</u>	Jan. 1 <u>1957</u>	Feb. 1 <u>1956</u>	Feb. 1 <u>1957</u>	Jan. 1 <u>1957</u>	Feb. 1 <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	120.2	124.4	122.7	189.9	191.6	177.2
Prince Edward Island	113.2	109.6	108.4	156.6	154.9	153.5
Nova Scotia	98.3	99.6	96.9	145.9	140.2	136.4
New Brunswick	106.7	109.4	108.2	162.3	165.0	154.8
Quebec	118.0	121.0	112.5	184.5	180.3	164.3
Ontario	121.9	123.5	113.5	190.8	183.3	166.6
Manitoba	106.1	109.2	103.2	155.7	155.4	143.4
Saskatchewan	113.6	120.7	107.9	175.2	183.6	153.9
Alberta	144.7	148.7	132.2	223.7	221.1	193.4
British Columbia	114.2	118.8	109.1	177.7	177.0	161.0
Canada - Composite Index	118.7	121.4	112.3	184.9	180.3	164.0
Canada - Manufacturing	115.0	114.8	110.2	181.9	171.7	164.0



Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	Feb. 1 <u>1957</u>	Jan. 1 <u>1957</u>	Feb. 1 <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	\$59.27	\$57.79	\$54.20
Prince Edward Island	46.78	47.79	47.74
Nova Scotia	55.59	52.71	52.68
New Brunswick	57.54	57.07	54.07
Quebec	64.19	61.16	59.94
Ontario	69.34	65.70	64.94
Manitoba	62.41	60.51	59.05
Saskatchewan	63.83	62.97	58.96
Alberta	68.73	66.10	64.92
British Columbia	71.05	68.05	67.33
Canada - Composite figure	66.65	63.58	62.43
Canada - Manufacturing	69.17	65.44	65.05

<sup>1/</sup> The above data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over, in the following major industrial divisions: logging, mining, manufacturing, construction, transportation, storage and communications, public utility operation, trade, finance, insurance and real estate, and service, mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, MARCH, 1957.

(These data are subject to revision)

Industrial employment slightly declined at Mar. 1, but the index on the 1949 base was 118.0, the highest on record for the time of year, 4.2 p.c. over the Mar. 1, 1956, figure. The loss in the month, amounting to 0.5 p.c., was accompanied by an increase of 0.7 p.c. from Feb. 1 in the weekly payrolls, which were 11.2 p.c. higher than a year earlier. The per capita weekly wages and salaries, at \$67.48, established a new maximum. The average in the week of Feb. 1 was \$66.67, and at Mar. 1, 1956, \$63.20.

On the whole, industrial activity was lower in all provinces except Manitoba and British Columbia. The rise in employment in the former was small, while that in the latter amounted to 1.3 p.c., largely due to heightened activity in forestry and wood products which had been affected by poor weather when the preceding survey was made. Employment in Quebec fell by 0.3 p.c. mainly due to seasonally slackened operations in logging. The reduction of 0.5 p.c. in Ontario took place largely in manufacturing, with some declines in forestry and trade.

The weekly payrolls were higher than a month earlier in most provinces. The exceptions were the Atlantic Provinces and Ontario in which the falling-off was slight. Except in Prince Edward Island, the indexes were higher than in the week of Mar. 1, 1956. Per capita earnings rose from Feb. 1, 1957, in all provinces, and were also generally above their levels a year earlier.

Employment in manufacturing showed only a slight change at Mar. 1, falling by 0.1 p.c. from the preceding survey week. The advance index number, at 115.0, was 2.4 p.c. higher than at Mar. 1, 1956. Weekly payrolls disbursed by the co-operating manufacturers on or about the date under review increased by 0.4 p.c. in the month, and by 8.5 p.c. as compared with Mar. 1 of last year. Wages and salaries averaged \$69.57, a new high, as compared with the Feb. 1 per capita of \$69.23, and that of \$65.57 at Mar. 1, 1956.

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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at Mar. 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

<u>Area</u>	<u>Employment</u>			<u>Payrolls</u>		
	Mar. 1 <u>1957</u>	Feb. 1 <u>1957</u>	Mar. 1 <u>1956</u>	Mar. 1 <u>1957</u>	Feb. 1 <u>1957</u>	Mar. 1 <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	114.6	119.7	119.5	185.5	189.6	177.1
Prince Edward Island	95.3	113.2	125.7	146.8	156.6	165.6
Nova Scotia	97.8	99.9	100.4	147.1	147.8	140.7
New Brunswick	103.1	106.4	105.4	160.9	161.8	153.4
Quebec	117.6	118.0	112.1	186.9	184.2	166.2
Ontario	120.9	121.5	115.5	190.2	190.4	171.5
Manitoba	106.2	106.1	102.8	156.7	155.8	144.6
Saskatchewan	112.6	113.6	107.1	176.0	175.3	154.5
Alberta	144.1	145.4	132.0	226.2	225.1	194.9
British Columbia	115.4	113.9	110.9	184.0	177.3	165.6
Canada - Composite Index	118.0	118.6	113.2	186.0	184.7	167.3
Canada - Manufacturing	115.0	115.1	112.3	182.9	182.2	168.5

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	Mar. 1 <u>1957</u>	Feb. 1 <u>1957</u>	Mar. 1 <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	\$60.74	\$59.44	\$55.58
Prince Edward Island	52.02	46.74	44.40
Nova Scotia	56.37	55.40	52.43
New Brunswick	59.05	57.51	55.01
Quebec	65.34	64.16	60.83
Ontario	69.67	69.41	65.67
Manitoba	62.76	62.46	59.79
Saskatchewan	64.70	63.84	59.67
Alberta	69.75	68.80	65.53
British Columbia	72.84	71.09	68.13
Canada - Composite figure	67.48	66.67	63.20
Canada - Manufacturing	69.57	69.23	65.57

<sup>1/</sup>The above data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over, in the following major industrial divisions: logging, mining, manufacturing, construction, transportation, storage and communications, public utility operation, trade, finance, insurance and real estate, and service, mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

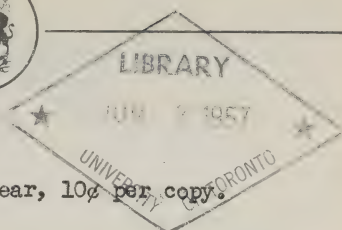
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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY PAYROLLS,  
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There was a further slight decline in industrial employment at the beginning of April when the industrial composite index, (1949=100), stood at 117.8, as compared with 118.1 a month earlier, and 113.5 at Apr. 1 of last year. The latest figure was the highest on record for the time of year. The most important change in the month was curtailment in forestry work, largely seasonal in character, and notably in Quebec. Partly as a result of labour-management disputes, employment was also reduced in mining, in which the falling-off was on a much smaller scale. The movement was moderately upward in the remaining industrial divisions surveyed, listed on page 2. Staffs in manufacturing showed an increase of 0.2 p.c., bringing the employment index to 115.3 at Apr. 1, as compared with 113.4 at the same date in 1956, previously the peak figure for Apr. 1.

Higher levels of employment generally were indicated in Prince Edward Island, Ontario and British Columbia, the indexes rising in the month by 2.2 p.c., 0.3 p.c. and 2.5 p.c., respectively. The falling-off in Quebec amounted to 1.2 p.c. The general indexes in all but the Atlantic Provinces were higher than at Apr. 1, 1956.

Weekly wages and salaries distributed by the larger industrial establishments throughout the country showed no general change at Apr. 1, but were 10.3 p.c. above their level in the week of Apr. 1 a year ago. Factory payrolls increased by 1.1 p.c. in the month, raising the index to 184.2, or 7.6 p.c. over the figure recorded 12 months ago. At \$67.50, the advance average of weekly wages and salaries at the date under review established a new maximum, 14 cents higher than at Mar. 1, and \$4.07 higher than at Apr. 1, 1956. Per capita weekly earnings in manufacturing were \$69.86, as compared with \$69.29 in the preceding survey, and \$66.02 at Apr. 1, 1956.

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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at Apr. 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

<u>Area</u>	<u>Employment</u>			<u>Payrolls</u>		
	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Mar. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1956</u>	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Mar. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	107.1	115.1	117.7	174.7	186.4	175.5
Prince Edward Island	97.6	95.5	105.7	151.1	145.9	145.6
Nova Scotia	94.8	97.8	95.2	142.9	147.2	132.8
New Brunswick	100.4	103.3	102.0	156.5	161.2	148.3
Quebec	116.2	117.6	111.4	183.2	185.8	164.4
Ontario	121.3	120.9	116.7	191.8	190.2	174.5
Manitoba	106.0	106.1	102.9	155.6	156.5	144.4
Saskatchewan	112.2	112.6	108.3	173.9	176.0	157.2
Alberta	143.9	144.2	134.4	224.6	226.4	197.7
British Columbia	118.8	115.9	113.2	190.5	184.8	170.4
Canada - Composite Index	117.8	118.1	113.5	185.8	185.8	168.4
Canada - Manufacturing	115.3	115.0	113.4	184.2	182.3	171.2

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Mar. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	\$61.22	\$60.76	\$55.96
Prince Edward Island	52.02	51.65	46.43
Nova Scotia	56.48	56.35	52.19
New Brunswick	58.99	59.03	54.97
Quebec	64.82	64.96	60.58
Ontario	69.96	69.64	66.14
Manitoba	62.47	62.78	59.67
Saskatchewan	64.10	64.68	60.01
Alberta	69.38	69.79	65.33
British Columbia	73.23	72.84	68.65
Canada - Composite figure	67.50	67.36	63.43
Canada - Manufacturing	69.86	69.29	66.02

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**ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,  
MAY 1, 1957.**

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Industrial employment increased at the beginning of May, and the index, at 119.1 on the 1949 average as 100, established a new high for the time of year. The Apr. 1 figure was 118.0, and that at May 1, 1956, 115.2. The index of weekly payrolls rose by 0.8 p.c. in the month to 187.6, as compared with 172.3 in the corresponding week last year. Average weekly wages and salaries stood at \$67.43, down by 13 cents from Apr. 1, but a good deal above the figure of \$63.93 recorded 12 months earlier.

Moderately heightened employment as compared with the last survey was reported in all provinces except New Brunswick, where seasonal slackness in transportation and forestry reduced the May 1 industrial composite index by 3.2 p.c. in the month. The most noteworthy additions to the working forces were in Ontario and British Columbia, amounting to 3.0 p.c. and 1.2 p.c., respectively.

The general movement of industrial employment was downward at May 1 in logging and mining, but was favourable in other industries for which data are collected. The improvement in construction, transportation, storage and communication and trade was most noteworthy.

Employment in manufacturing advanced by 0.3 p.c. in the month, bringing the latest index to 115.8, a maximum for the time of year. Payrolls rose by 0.2 p.c. from Apr. 1. At 184.7, the May 1 index was 6.0 p.c. over the figure recorded 12 months earlier. The preliminary average of weekly wages and salaries of factory workers at May 1 was \$69.76, a new high for the season, as compared with the preceding figure of \$69.87, and \$66.70 at May 1, 1956.

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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at May 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

<u>Area</u>	<u>Employment</u>			<u>Payrolls</u>		
	May 1 1957	Apr. 1 1957	May 1 1956	May 1 1957	Apr. 1 1957	May 1 1956
Newfoundland	119.2	111.6	119.4	195.2	176.7	174.8
Prince Edward Island	103.7	97.6	102.3	160.5	151.1	143.3
Nova Scotia	95.1	94.8	93.7	142.4	143.2	133.1
New Brunswick	97.2	100.4	99.0	146.1	156.5	141.2
Quebec	116.4	116.2	113.3	183.5	183.6	169.0
Ontario	122.8	121.4	118.3	194.2	191.9	178.2
Manitoba	107.2	106.0	103.8	157.8	155.9	147.3
Saskatchewan	115.6	112.6	111.9	177.3	174.3	162.2
Alberta	144.3	143.9	136.7	220.4	224.7	199.2
British Columbia	122.8	119.2	117.5	197.6	191.5	179.1
Canada - Composite Index	119.1	118.0	115.2	187.6	186.1	172.3
Canada - Manufacturing	115.8	115.4	114.1	184.7	184.4	174.2

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	May 1 1957	Apr. 1 1957	May 1 1956
Newfoundland	\$63.35	\$61.24	\$54.94
Prince Edward Island	51.98	52.02	47.24
Nova Scotia	56.09	56.56	53.14
New Brunswick	56.83	58.97	53.89
Quebec	64.80	64.97	61.21
Ontario	69.98	69.97	66.63
Manitoba	62.61	62.52	60.32
Saskatchewan	63.44	64.03	59.96
Alberta	67.87	69.36	64.72
British Columbia	73.49	73.37	69.57
Canada - Composite figure	67.43	67.56	63.93
Canada - Manufacturing	69.76	69.87	66.70

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, JULY 1, 1957.



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There was a considerable increase in industrial employment at the beginning of July. The seasonal gain of 2.9 p.c. differed only slightly from the post-war average for the time of year, although it was smaller than the advance recorded 12 months earlier. On the 1949 average as 100, the index was 126.5, as compared with 124.2 at July 1, 1956. The payroll figure rose by 3.1 p.c. in the month to 201.8, substantially above last year's July 1 index of 187.6. Per capita weekly earnings were \$68.31, a new maximum, as compared with \$67.81 at June 1, and \$64.56 at July 1, 1956.

The expansion in employment shown in the July 1 survey extended on the whole to all provinces and to all industrial divisions surveyed. The greatest percentage increase (11.2 p.c.) took place in Newfoundland. The gains in Quebec and Ontario amounted to 3.1 p.c. and 1.3 p.c., respectively. Industrially, logging, manufacturing and construction reported the largest additions to the working forces.

The index of factory employment rose from 116.7 at June 1 to 118.3 at the beginning of July, when it differed little from the figure of 118.0 recorded 12 months ago. There were widely distributed though rather moderate additions to staffs in this group of industries. Payrolls also moved up, to a new peak, and the July 1 index of 190.1 was 5.3 p.c. higher than in the same period in 1956. Weekly wages and salaries in manufacturing plants at the date under review averaged \$70.20, as compared with \$69.92 in the preceding survey week, and \$66.89 at July 1 a year ago.

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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at July 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

<u>Area</u>	<u>Employment</u>			<u>Payrolls</u>		
	July 1 <u>1957</u>	June 1 <u>1957</u>	July 1 <u>1956</u>	July 1 <u>1957</u>	June 1 <u>1957</u>	July 1 <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	142.9	128.5	147.2	242.9	214.5	231.1
Prince Edward Island	122.2	117.1	118.9	184.5	181.9	167.5
Nova Scotia	104.8	102.4	105.1	158.0	153.2	148.9
New Brunswick	108.3	104.2	115.8	161.3	153.3	163.9
Quebec	124.9	121.1	124.3	197.5	191.8	186.3
Ontario	127.4	125.7	123.7	203.8	199.8	187.6
Manitoba	113.5	111.7	110.7	172.9	166.0	160.4
Saskatchewan	131.3	126.7	127.6	209.6	197.3	188.6
Alberta	157.4	151.9	155.9	249.2	237.0	235.4
British Columbia	130.2	127.5	125.1	216.7	208.0	196.7
Canada - Composite Index	126.5	123.6	124.2	201.8	195.8	187.6
Canada - Manufacturing	118.3	116.7	118.0	190.1	186.8	180.6

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	July 1 <u>1957</u>	June 1 <u>1957</u>	July 1 <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	\$63.79	\$62.66	\$58.88
Prince Edward Island	50.70	52.17	47.49
Nova Scotia	56.48	56.01	53.03
New Brunswick	56.32	55.64	52.49
Quebec	65.00	65.12	61.52
Ontario	70.82	70.36	67.06
Manitoba	64.74	63.19	61.37
Saskatchewan	66.04	64.38	61.12
Alberta	70.34	69.33	67.06
British Columbia	76.01	74.47	71.75
Canada - Composite figure	68.31	67.81	64.56
Canada - Manufacturing	70.20	69.92	66.89

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Moderate improvement was shown in industrial employment at the first of August, when the general index, on the 1949 base, rose by 0.7 p.c. from July 1 to a new maximum of 127.5. This was 1.7 p.c. higher than at Aug. 1, 1956. Rather larger working forces than a month earlier were reported in most provinces, the exceptions being Quebec and Ontario. A decline of 0.2 p.c. in the former was largely due to a slackening in manufacturing, logging and trade. Practically no change on the whole was recorded in Ontario, where manufacturing and trade were quieter, but construction and some other groups afforded more employment. Elsewhere the trend was upward, with Alberta and British Columbia reporting gains of 4.1 p.c. and 2.5 p.c., respectively.

Factory employment eased slightly from July 1, the Canada index falling by 0.3 p.c. The loss was largely in Quebec and Ontario. Construction reported improvement except in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. Transportation and services showed gains in most provinces, while there were widely distributed seasonal losses in trade.

The weekly wages and salaries paid by the co-operating establishments rose by 0.8 p.c. in the month, bringing the general payroll index to a new peak of 203.7, 7.3 p.c. higher than at Aug. 1, 1956. Weekly payrolls increased in all provinces except British Columbia, where there was a 0.2 p.c. reduction. Per capita weekly wages and salaries were also higher than in the preceding survey in six provinces, the exceptions being Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, Alberta and British Columbia. In all provinces, the averages exceeded those recorded 12 months earlier.

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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at Aug. 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

<u>Area</u>	<u>Employment</u>			<u>Payrolls</u>		
	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>July 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1956</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>July 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	148.0	144.5	153.8	248.3	244.8	242.8
Prince Edward Island	125.2	122.2	122.6	189.8	184.5	174.7
Nova Scotia	105.2	105.0	105.9	158.5	158.4	151.2
New Brunswick	109.7	108.4	116.5	166.5	161.5	170.2
Quebec	124.8	125.0	124.2	198.9	197.5	187.6
Ontario	127.5	127.5	124.1	205.0	204.1	188.3
Manitoba	116.1	113.9	113.0	177.9	173.2	164.3
Saskatchewan	136.8	132.3	130.7	218.7	211.3	197.5
Alberta	164.1	157.7	162.7	254.9	249.9	246.0
British Columbia	133.5	130.3	129.0	216.4	216.9	200.5
Canada - Composite Index	127.5	126.6	125.4	203.7	202.1	189.9
Canada - Manufacturing	118.0	118.4	117.9	188.9	190.1	179.2

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>July 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	\$62.97	\$63.59	\$59.24
Prince Edward Island	50.92	50.70	48.03
Nova Scotia	56.49	56.52	53.42
New Brunswick	57.40	56.33	55.25
Quebec	65.53	64.95	61.95
Ontario	71.17	70.83	67.15
Manitoba	65.17	64.66	61.82
Saskatchewan	66.10	66.04	62.48
Alberta	69.03	70.42	67.16
British Columbia	73.98	76.00	70.94
Canada - Composite figure	68.38	68.30	64.77
Canada - Manufacturing	69.94	70.19	66.44

<sup>1/</sup> The above data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over, in the following major industrial divisions: logging, mining, manufacturing, construction, transportation, storage and communications, public utility operation, trade, finance, insurance and real estate, and service, mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, SEPTEMBER 1, 1957.

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The Sept. 1 composite index of industrial employment was unchanged from a month earlier, at 127.6 on the 1949 base. A year ago, the figure was 125.7. The trend was downward in seven provinces, but the reported staffs were higher than at Aug. 1 in Prince Edward Island, Quebec and British Columbia. The increase in the last named was 1.2 p.c., and in Quebec 0.4 p.c. Employment in Ontario fell by 0.3 p.c. The indexes in most provinces were slightly higher than in the same period in 1956, the exceptions being Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Alberta.

The Canada payroll index was 204.3, as compared with 204.0 at Aug. 1, (previously an all-time maximum), and 191.0 at Sept. 1, 1956. Weekly wages and salaries averaged \$68.51, up 10 cents from Aug. 1. The per capita figure at the same date a year ago was \$65.01.

There was moderate improvement in manufacturing in most provinces at the date under review as compared with the last survey, with the largest gain of 1.1 p.c. in Quebec. The rise in this group in Canada amounted only to 0.4 p.c. On the whole, increased employment was also reported in mining, public utility operation and finance, insurance and real estate. Declines were recorded in the month in forestry, construction, transportation, storage and communication, trade and the service industries surveyed. The general changes in all main industrial divisions were slight.

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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at Sept. 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

<u>Area</u>	<u>Employment</u>			<u>Payrolls</u>		
	<u>Sept.1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Sept.1</u> <u>1956</u>	<u>Sept.1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Sept.1</u> <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	145.0	150.2	156.1	237.3	250.5	242.7
Prince Edward Island	129.9	125.2	127.3	191.6	189.8	177.2
Nova Scotia	104.6	105.1	106.9	157.4	158.4	152.1
New Brunswick	108.8	109.8	116.7	165.8	166.6	172.6
Quebec	125.4	125.0	125.2	200.2	199.4	190.7
Ontario	127.4	127.7	123.4	204.6	205.5	187.3
Manitoba	116.2	116.3	113.8	179.0	178.3	165.6
Saskatchewan	136.2	136.9	131.0	216.3	218.9	202.2
Alberta	161.9	163.0	162.5	254.4	253.8	249.5
British Columbia	135.5	133.9	131.1	222.7	216.8	203.5
Canada - Composite Index	127.6	127.6	125.7	204.3	204.0	191.0
Canada - Manufacturing	118.6	118.1	118.0	189.5	189.1	180.1

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	<u>Sept.1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Aug. 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>Sept.1</u> <u>1956</u>
Newfoundland	\$61.43	\$62.57	\$58.34
Prince Edward Island	49.54	50.92	46.92
Nova Scotia	56.40	56.50	53.25
New Brunswick	57.65	57.36	55.91
Quebec	65.59	65.58	62.51
Ontario	71.11	71.22	67.17
Manitoba	65.53	65.22	61.84
Saskatchewan	65.67	66.10	63.79
Alberta	69.82	69.18	68.22
British Columbia	75.04	73.93	70.83
Canada - Composite figure	68.51	68.41	65.01
Canada - Manufacturing	69.82	69.95	66.71

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The Oct. 1 index of industrial employment, on the 1949 base as 100, stood at 126.8, a decline of 0.6 p.c. from Sept. 1, but slightly above the Oct. 1, 1956, figure of 125.9. The payroll figure fell from 204.2 at Sept. 1 to 204.1 at the beginning of October, as compared with 194.5 12 months earlier. Weekly wages and salaries averaged \$68.88, a new maximum. The preceding figure was \$68.46, and that in the week of Oct. 1, 1956, \$66.07.

General curtailment in staffs since Sept. 1 was reported by establishments in all provinces except Quebec, where the index advanced by 1.1 p.c. The losses ranged from 0.5 p.c. in Manitoba and 0.9 p.c. in Ontario, to nearly 3 p.c. in each of the Maritime Provinces. Disbursements in weekly wages and salaries increased only in Prince Edward Island and Quebec. Industrial employment generally was more active than a year ago in all except the Atlantic Provinces, and payrolls were higher except in Newfoundland and New Brunswick. Except in Manitoba, average earnings rose in all provinces as compared with the week of Sept. 1, and were generally above their levels at Oct. 1, 1956.

Although employment in manufacturing decreased by 0.4 p.c., weekly wages and salaries rose by almost the same percentage. In the 12-month comparison, the employment index fell slightly, but that of payrolls was higher by 3.1 p.c. Per capita wages and salaries, at \$70.34, established a new high, as compared with \$69.77 at Sept. 1, and \$67.97 at Oct. 1 last year. Staffs were seasonally larger than in the preceding survey in forestry and trade. Finance, insurance and real estate also reported larger working forces. Declines, largely seasonal in character, were recorded in mining, construction, transportation, storage and communication, public utility operation and in the service industries surveyed.

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Advance Index Numbers<sup>1/</sup> of Employment and Payrolls at Oct. 1, 1957, with Indexes for the Preceding Month and a Year Ago. (1949=100)

Area	Employment			Payrolls		
	Oct. 1 1957	Sept. 1 1957	Oct. 1 1956	Oct. 1 1957	Sept. 1 1957	Oct. 1 1956
Newfoundland	142.1	144.7	154.6	235.4	237.0	246.1
Prince Edward Island	126.1	129.9	127.3	195.9	191.6	181.0
Nova Scotia	101.8	104.7	104.6	155.7	157.7	150.6
New Brunswick	105.9	109.0	113.9	162.5	166.2	169.0
Quebec	126.9	125.5	126.1	202.9	200.4	195.1
Ontario	126.2	127.3	124.7	204.0	204.3	192.2
Manitoba	115.3	115.9	113.0	176.6	178.3	165.9
Saskatchewan	135.0	137.0	129.7	216.4	219.1	200.8
Alberta	159.7	162.6	158.3	253.4	255.2	249.1
British Columbia	132.2	135.5	130.0	219.3	222.3	206.4
Canada - Composite Index	126.8	127.6	125.9	204.1	204.2	194.5
Canada - Manufacturing	118.0	118.5	118.6	190.2	189.2	184.4

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

	Oct. 1 1957	Sept. 1 1957	Oct. 1 1956
Newfoundland	\$62.13	\$61.41	\$59.75
Prince Edward Island	52.16	49.54	47.93
Nova Scotia	57.32	56.44	53.88
New Brunswick	58.03	57.66	56.08
Quebec	65.75	65.62	63.49
Ontario	71.54	71.04	68.22
Manitoba	65.14	65.43	62.37
Saskatchewan	66.31	66.15	63.98
Alberta	70.53	69.76	69.93
British Columbia	75.71	74.88	72.46
Canada - Composite figure	68.88	68.46	66.07
Canada - Manufacturing	70.34	69.77	67.97

<sup>1/</sup> The above data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over, in the following major industrial divisions: logging, mining, manufacturing, construction, transportation, storage and communications, public utility operation, trade, finance, insurance and real estate, and service, mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, NOVEMBER, 1957.

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### Notice

To provide users with industry statistics of employment earlier than they can be obtained from the detailed monthly report "Employment and Payrolls", the advance statement is being extended to give preliminary figures for the non-manufacturing divisions surveyed, in addition to those for manufacturing and for the provinces previously shown.

A reduction of 1.3 p.c. in the staffs of industrial establishments at Nov. 1 brought the preliminary index of employment to 125.3 on the 1949 average as 100, as compared with 126.9 at Oct. 1, 1957. With the exception of the Nov. 1, 1956, figure of 126.2, the latest index is the highest on record for the beginning of November. Wage and salary disbursements also declined in the month by 1.3 p.c., but the index, at 201.4, was 3.1 p.c. higher than at Nov. 1, 1956, previously a peak for the time of year. Per capita earnings in the week of Nov. 1, 1957, stood at \$68.81, down three cents from the preceding survey, but otherwise an all-time high. The average 12 months earlier was \$66.24.

Employment generally rose moderately in forestry and trade, in a seasonal movement, but was curtailed in the remaining industrial divisions surveyed. The decline of 1.6 p.c. recorded in manufacturing was larger than at Nov. 1, 1956, when the index (118.6) was a little above the latest figure of 116.2. A loss of 1.2 p.c. in factory payrolls in the month brought the index to 188.4, as compared with 185.9 a year earlier. Average weekly wages and salaries reached a new peak at \$70.84, as against \$70.29 at Oct. 1, 1957, and \$68.53 at Nov. 1, 1956.

On the whole, staffs were lower in all provinces than at the beginning of October. The most pronounced contraction of 4.5 p.c. was in British Columbia. Except in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, industrial activity generally was also less than at Nov. 1, 1956. The index numbers in most provinces, however, were higher than in the same period in 1955 and earlier years.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Nov. 1, 1957, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Nov. 1	Oct. 1	Nov. 1	Nov. 1	Oct. 1	Nov. 1
	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1956</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1956</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	138.7	142.2	151.2	61.30	62.12	59.88
Prince Edward Island	124.9	127.4	126.6	49.09	52.24	48.48
Nova Scotia	100.8	102.0	105.7	56.76	57.30	52.84
New Brunswick	103.6	106.1	112.8	58.37	57.99	56.86
Quebec	126.0	126.9	126.5	65.86	65.76	63.80
Ontario	125.6	126.3	126.0	71.82	71.47	68.63
Manitoba	113.9	115.4	112.2	64.71	65.14	62.10
Saskatchewan	132.5	134.7	128.7	66.00	66.31	63.56
Alberta	154.7	160.6	155.6	69.78	70.48	69.86
British Columbia	126.2	132.1	127.6	74.65	75.62	72.02
Canada - Composite Index	125.3	126.9	126.2	68.81	68.84	66.24

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	Nov. 1	Oct. 1	Nov. 1
	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1956</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	110.5	109.6	137.9
Mining	129.0	130.0	126.9
Manufacturing	116.2	118.1	118.6
Construction	148.5	153.5	151.5
Transportation, storage and communication	122.4	124.4	121.9
Public utility operation	137.9	139.3	129.9
Trade	134.6	133.3	131.1
Finance, insurance and real estate	148.3	148.6	140.4
Service <sup>1/</sup>	132.1	136.3	127.8
Industrial composite	125.3	126.9	126.2

Note:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, DECEMBER, 1957.

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Industrial employment continued to decline at the first of December, when the index (1949=100) stood at 122.5, as compared with 125.2 a month previously, and 125.7 at Dec. 1, 1956. The latest figure, however, was higher than at the beginning of December in 1955 and earlier years of the record. The falling-off in employment from Nov. 1 was accompanied by a loss of 1.6 p.c. in weekly payroll disbursements, but the index, at 193.2, was the highest on record for the time of year.

Average weekly wages and salaries stood at \$69.24, a new all-time maximum, as compared with \$68.79 a month earlier and \$66.11 in the week of Dec. 1, 1956. The per capita figure in manufacturing, \$71.74, also established a new high. The Nov. 1 average was \$70.86 and that at Dec. 1, 1956, \$68.78. Release of lower-paid workers in many industries contributed to the high levels recorded in the latest survey period.

On the whole, curtailment in employment from Nov. 1 was reported in all provinces. The greatest shrinkage was in British Columbia, and was due in part to important industrial disputes, directly and indirectly affecting many workers. Industrial employment in most provinces was lower than at Dec. 1, 1956, but except in the Atlantic Provinces, continued higher than in the same period in 1955 and preceding years.

The trend as compared with a month earlier was downward in all industrial divisions except trade, in which staffs rose by 3 p.c. to a new maximum. Manufacturing and construction showed the largest losses, of 2.4 p.c. and 7.7 p.c., respectively. The strikes already mentioned were an important factor in the former division. Employment in forestry was quieter than at the beginning of December in any other year for a lengthy period. There was also a falling off in the 12-month comparison in manufacturing, construction and transportation, storage and communication, but employment in these classes continued above the levels of Dec. 1 in 1955 and earlier years. Although working forces reported in the remaining industries listed were lower than in immediately preceding months, they were higher than at Dec. 1 in any other year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Dec. 1, 1957, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Dec. 1	Nov. 1	Dec. 1	Dec. 1	Nov. 1	Dec. 1
	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1956</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1956</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	128.1	138.8	142.5	61.93	61.42	60.27
Prince Edward Island	118.1	126.2	122.2	50.28	49.32	48.29
Nova Scotia	99.3	100.8	104.7	57.04	56.79	53.04
New Brunswick	101.3	103.1	114.1	56.83	57.65	56.09
Quebec	123.0	126.0	127.0	66.61	65.83	63.76
Ontario	124.5	125.5	126.0	72.18	71.78	68.62
Manitoba	110.9	113.9	111.5	64.28	64.38	61.36
Saskatchewan	128.1	132.1	126.6	66.28	66.37	63.40
Alberta	151.6	155.3	154.7	71.03	70.19	68.29
British Columbia	118.2	126.2	124.0	74.82	74.62	72.34
Canada - Composite Index	122.5	125.2	125.7	69.24	68.79	66.11

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	Dec. 1	Nov. 1	Dec. 1
	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1956</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	94.1	107.2	145.8
Mining	128.1	129.2	125.4
Manufacturing	113.4	116.2	118.0
Construction	137.1	148.6	142.5
Transportation, storage and communication	119.7	122.6	121.5
Public utility operation	135.9	137.9	129.2
Trade	138.6	134.6	135.0
Finance, insurance and real estate	148.3	148.3	140.5
Services <sup>1/</sup>	130.0	132.7	126.8
Industrial composite	122.5	125.2	125.7

Note:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

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Industrial employment, payrolls and average weekly wages and salaries in the week of Jan. 1 showed the downward movement always reported at the time of year. On 1949 as 100, the employment index fell from Dec. 1 by 4 p.c. to 117.6. Except for the 1957 figure of 121.4, this was the highest on record for Jan. 1. Payrolls were lower by 7.6 p.c., but the index (183.1) was slightly above the Jan. 1, 1957, index of 180.3, previously the seasonal maximum. Weekly wages and salaries averaged \$66.83, down from the preceding figure of \$69.24, but considerably above that of \$63.58 at Jan. 1 of last year. Observance of the year-end holidays on Wednesday, entailing a greater loss in working time than occurs when they fall closer to the week end, contributed to larger declines in payrolls and earnings than in the same period for several years.

Employment and payrolls decreased in all provinces from Dec. 1 and were lower in all industry groups except trade, which showed a moderate seasonal rise. Average weekly wages and salaries also fell in nearly all industries and areas. Provincially, the exceptions were Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Saskatchewan, where small gains were recorded. In all provinces except New Brunswick, the per capita figures were higher than in the week of Jan. 1 in 1957 and earlier years. In many industries, the losses in employment recorded in the latest survey were greater than in the corresponding period in 1957 and immediately preceding years. As usual for the season, construction and manufacturing accounted for a high proportion of the workers laid off from Dec. 1.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Jan. 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Jan. 1	Dec. 1	Jan. 1	Jan. 1	Dec. 1	Jan. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>
	\$			\$		\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	116.4	127.8	124.4	61.50	62.00	57.79
Prince Edward Island	106.6	117.4	109.6	50.55	50.29	47.79
Nova Scotia	96.4	99.3	99.6	55.48	56.92	52.71
New Brunswick	98.7	101.1	109.4	56.91	56.79	57.07
Quebec	117.0	122.9	121.0	64.00	66.56	61.16
Ontario	120.4	124.6	123.5	69.28	72.24	65.70
Manitoba	107.7	110.7	109.2	62.13	64.22	60.51
Saskatchewan	119.2	128.1	120.7	66.39	66.36	62.97
Alberta	146.6	151.6	148.7	69.19	70.87	66.10
British Columbia	111.9	118.1	118.8	70.58	74.80	68.05
Canada - Composite Index	117.6	122.5	121.4	66.63	69.24	63.58

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	Jan. 1	Dec. 1	Jan. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1957</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	87.4	93.9	133.5
Mining	126.0	128.1	122.7
Manufacturing	109.1	113.3	114.8
Construction	111.9	136.9	117.1
Transportation, storage and communication	115.9	119.9	118.6
Public utility operation	133.8	135.8	126.8
Trade	140.4	138.9	138.0
Finance, insurance and real estate	147.9	148.3	140.2
Services	128.0	130.4	124.7
Industrial composite	117.6	122.5	121.4

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, FEBRUARY, 1958.

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The percentage decline in industrial employment occurring between Jan. 1 and Feb. 1 was about the same in 1958 as in 1950 and 1955, but greater than in other years in the post-war period. The preliminary index dropped to 113.6 (1949=100) at Feb. 1, indicating that industrial employment at that date was about 3 p.c. lower than at Jan. 1, and about 4 p.c. lower than at Feb. 1, 1957. This winter, for the first time in the post-war period, the increase in average weekly wages and salaries following the seasonal decline reflected in statistics for Jan. 1 was insufficient to bring the figure for Feb. 1 above that for Dec. 1. (The Jan. 1 figure is based on data for the last pay period in December, and therefore reflects curtailment of operations during the holiday period). However, the Feb. 1 earnings figure of \$69.23 was almost 4 p.c. higher than that for the corresponding date in 1957. The payroll index for Feb. 1 is estimated at 183.8 and is therefore lower than that for Feb. 1, 1957 (184.7). The year-to-year increase in average weekly wages and salaries did not completely offset the decline in employment. Payroll indexes for certain months in 1954 were below those for the corresponding months in 1953, but no other year-over-year declines in payroll indexes had previously occurred in the post-war period.

Provincial employment indexes for Feb. 1 were lower than corresponding indexes for Jan. 1, 1958 and Feb. 1, 1957 in all cases but one - the Feb. 1 index for Saskatchewan was higher in 1958 than in 1957. Year-to-year decreases were greater in the Atlantic Provinces and British Columbia than in the Central and Prairie Provinces. As the statistics for Feb. 1 are based on data for the last pay period in January, the figure for British Columbia reflects the incidence of a major strike in that province, although this strike was settled by the beginning of February.

Employment indexes for forestry, manufacturing, construction and transportation storage and communication were lower at Feb. 1, 1958 than at Feb. 1, 1957, but year-to-year increases were recorded for the remaining industries covered by the monthly survey. There were no increases in indexes of employment for individual industry divisions from Jan. 1 to Feb. 1. Indexes for mining and services were unchanged, while those for other divisions declined. The Jan. 1 to Feb. 1 declines in employment indexes for manufacturing, trade, and transportation, storage and communication were larger in 1958 than in previous post-war years.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Feb. 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Feb. 1 1958	Jan. 1 1958	Feb. 1 1957	Feb. 1 1958 \$	Jan. 1 1958 \$	Feb. 1 1957 \$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	108.4	116.1	119.7	61.27	60.65	59.44
Prince Edward Island	94.2	106.6	113.2	52.71	50.55	46.74
Nova Scotia	92.4	96.3	99.9	58.36	55.48	55.40
New Brunswick	93.8	97.9	106.4	57.63	56.84	57.51
Quebec	113.3	117.0	118.0	66.64	63.92	64.16
Ontario	116.9	120.3	121.5	72.06	68.79	69.39
Manitoba	104.2	107.7	106.1	64.91	62.08	62.46
Saskatchewan	114.8	121.0	113.6	66.92	65.37	63.84
Alberta	141.6	146.6	145.4	71.57	69.24	68.80
British Columbia	107.0	111.6	113.9	73.47	70.55	71.09
Canada - Composite Index	113.6	117.5	118.6	69.23	66.35	66.66
Canada - Manufacturing	107.9	109.0	115.1	71.59	68.47	69.17

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	Feb. 1 1958	Jan. 1 1958	Feb. 1 1957
Forestry (chiefly logging)	77.0	86.8	116.8
Mining	126.1	126.1	124.1
Manufacturing	107.9	109.0	115.1
Construction	105.7	111.3	113.9
Transportation, storage and communication	111.0	116.1	114.7
Public utility operation	133.1	133.8	125.4
Trade	127.7	140.5	126.5
Finance, insurance and real estate	147.6	147.9	140.2
Services	127.5	127.5	124.9
Industrial composite	113.6	117.5	118.6

Note:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, MARCH, 1958.

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The Mar. 1 industrial composite index of employment for Canada was 113.0 (1949=100), down slightly from the index for Feb. 1 (113.7). The drop is not attributable to seasonal influences, so it appears that the underlying downward movement in industrial employment which began last fall continued through to Mar. 1. However, declines in seasonally-adjusted data in the first part of 1958 were not as great as in the last few months of 1957. Average weekly wages and salaries were \$69.96 at Mar. 1, up 71 cents from the figure recorded for the previous month. Seasonal factors appear to have accounted for the greater part of this increase. The industrial composite payroll index for Mar. 1 was 184.8, and was therefore higher than that for Feb. 1 (183.8). However, the Mar. 1 payroll index was below that for the corresponding month in 1957, as was the index for Feb. 1.

Employment in Quebec and the Prairie Provinces showed normal seasonal changes from Feb. 1 to Mar. 1. In Ontario and Nova Scotia, declines were recorded although seasonal factors tend to occasion increases. Drops in employment in construction in the two provinces contributed to the overall declines. On the other hand, employment rose in Newfoundland and New Brunswick, although normal seasonal factors tend to lead to employment declines. An early start on spring logging operations in Newfoundland and an increase in railway employment in New Brunswick were important causes for the increases. A rise in employment in the pulp and paper industry in British Columbia which followed settlement of a major strike fully accounted for the increase in overall industrial employment in that province.

Employment increased from Feb. 1 to Mar. 1 in manufacturing and mining, but declined in the other major industry divisions. The increase in employment in manufacturing is wholly attributable to the rise in employment in the pulp and paper industry in British Columbia. As no seasonal increase occurred in employment in manufacturing, it appears that the underlying downward movement which had been established previously continued through to Mar. 1. Month-to-month employment movements in most other industry divisions followed normal seasonal patterns. However, employment in forestry dropped less than normal; there are indications that good weather permitted an early start on spring operations in some areas. Employment in mining increased from Feb. 1 to Mar. 1, although seasonal factors tend to occasion a decrease over the period.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Mar. 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Mar. 1	Feb. 1	Mar. 1	Mar. 1	Feb. 1	Mar. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
	\$			\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	109.2	108.4	115.1	62.24	61.67	60.76
Prince Edward Island	100.2	94.2	95.5	50.23	52.71	51.65
Nova Scotia	90.8	92.3	97.8	59.42	58.44	56.35
New Brunswick	95.3	93.8	103.3	59.28	57.63	59.03
Quebec	112.3	113.2	117.6	67.41	66.64	64.96
Ontario	116.2	117.0	120.9	72.35	72.08	69.64
Manitoba	102.7	103.9	106.1	65.71	64.87	62.78
Saskatchewan	113.0	114.4	112.6	67.52	66.48	64.68
Alberta	139.8	142.2	144.2	73.06	71.56	69.79
British Columbia	108.7	106.9	115.9	75.39	73.59	72.84
Canada - Composite Index	113.0	113.7	118.1	69.96	69.25	67.36
Canada - Manufacturing	108.3	107.9	115.0	72.02	71.61	69.29

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	Mar. 1	Feb. 1	Mar. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	71.5	76.3	108.4
Mining	126.8	126.2	124.7
Manufacturing	108.3	107.9	115.0
Construction	101.7	105.9	112.7
Transportation, storage and communication	110.7	111.0	113.8
Public utility operation	131.8	132.2	124.0
Trade	126.4	127.7	126.1
Finance, insurance and real estate	146.6	147.5	141.3
Services <sup>1/</sup>	126.8	128.3	125.1
Industrial composite	113.0	113.7	118.1

Note:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, APRIL, 1958.

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The Apr. 1 industrial composite index of employment for Canada was 112.9 (1949=100), virtually the same as that for Mar. 1 (113.0). Seasonal influences have tended to occasion slight declines in employment between Mar. 1 and Apr. 1 in recent years, so it appears that the underlying downward movement in employment which persisted through the winter of 1957-58 was arrested between the two dates. Average weekly wages and salaries were \$70.18 at Apr. 1, up slightly from the Mar. 1 figure. There was a rise of 74 cents in per capita earnings in manufacturing between Mar. 1 and Apr. 1, mainly owing to increases in average hours worked. The industrial composite payroll index for Apr. 1 was 185.1, up slightly from the Mar. 1 figure of 185.0.

From Mar. 1 to Apr. 1, employment in construction increased more than seasonally in most provinces. However, industrial disputes in British Columbia led to a sharp drop in construction employment in that province, and there was therefore only a small rise in the Canada index for the industry. Normal seasonal increases in employment in manufacturing, trade, services and finance, insurance and real estate were recorded. There was a large decline in forestry employment between the two dates, but such a decline normally occurs at this time of the year. Employment indexes for public utility operation and for transportation, storage and communication showed little change between Mar. 1 and Apr. 1. Scattered layoffs in various branches of mining led to a decline in the employment index for this industry.

Provincially, industrial employment increased between Mar. 1 and Apr. 1 in Newfoundland, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia. The increase in industrial employment in Newfoundland reflected a rise in forestry employment in the province. Seasonal influences normally bring increases in employment in Ontario and British Columbia between Mar. 1 and Apr. 1. The small size of the rise in British Columbia reflects disruption of the construction industry resulting from industrial disputes. The employment increases in Manitoba and Saskatchewan are not attributable to seasonal factors. In the Maritimes, Quebec and Alberta, industrial employment was lower at Apr. 1 than at Mar. 1. The declines in the Maritimes and Quebec were less than seasonal, partly because employment declines in forestry in these areas were smaller than usual. The drop in Alberta was associated with a decline in employment in oil and natural gas production.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Apr. 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	<u>Apr. 1 1958</u>	<u>Mar. 1 1958</u>	<u>Apr. 1 1957</u>	<u>Apr. 1 1958</u>	<u>Mar. 1 1958</u>	<u>Apr. 1 1957</u>
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	111.1	109.3	111.6	63.67	62.77	61.24
Prince Edward Island	97.7	100.2	97.6	51.39	50.23	52.02
Nova Scotia	89.0	90.8	94.8	59.48	59.44	56.56
New Brunswick	93.2	94.9	100.4	58.61	59.34	53.97
Quebec	111.1	112.3	116.2	67.68	67.42	64.97
Ontario	116.7	116.3	121.4	72.72	72.43	69.97
Manitoba	103.2	102.7	106.0	65.65	65.73	62.52
Saskatchewan	114.3	113.1	112.6	66.86	67.49	64.03
Alberta	140.0	140.2	143.9	72.33	73.07	69.36
British Columbia	109.4	108.9	119.2	75.46	75.52	73.37
Canada - Composite Index	112.9	113.0	118.0	70.18	70.02	67.56
Canada - Manufacturing	108.3	108.2	115.4	72.82	72.08	69.87

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	<u>Apr. 1 1958</u>	<u>Mar. 1 1958</u>	<u>Apr. 1 1957</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	55.1	71.4	82.4
Mining	125.4	126.8	123.4
Manufacturing	108.3	108.2	115.4
Construction	102.3	101.7	115.3
Transportation, storage and communication	110.5	110.7	114.0
Public utility operation	131.7	131.8	125.1
Trade	128.3	126.5	127.4
Finance, insurance and real estate	147.6	147.0	142.1
Services	129.1	128.5	126.7
Industrial composite	112.9	113.0	118.0

Notes:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY PAYROLLS, MAY 1958.

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The industrial composite index of employment rose from 112.9 (1949=100) at Apr. 1 to 114.5 at May 1. Seasonal factors appear to have been responsible for almost the whole of this increase. Average weekly wages and salaries increased from \$70.19 at Apr. 1 to \$70.32 at May 1. At the later date, the industrial composite index of payrolls reached 188.1, and therefore exceeded the index for the corresponding date a year earlier (187.9). Payroll indexes for the earlier months of 1958 were lower than those for the corresponding months in 1957.

Industrially, substantial increases in employment were recorded for construction, public utility operation and transportation, storage and communication. On the whole, these increases reflected seasonal influences, but employment in highways, bridges and streets construction and in water transportation rose more than seasonally. There was a moderate rise in the number of workers in manufacturing establishments. Employment in forestry declined seasonally. There was also a drop in mining employment, but this was more than seasonal. The indexes for trade, services and finance, insurance and real estate showed little change from Apr. 1 to May 1.

Industrial employment was higher at May 1 than at Apr. 1 in all provinces except New Brunswick. The decline in New Brunswick reflected seasonal decreases in employment in the water transportation and railways industries in the province.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at May 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>May 1</u> <u>1958</u>	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1958</u>	<u>May 1</u> <u>1957</u>	<u>May 1</u> <u>1958</u>	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1958</u>	<u>May 1</u> <u>1957</u>
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	111.9	111.2	118.1	\$63.32	\$63.74	\$62.78
Prince Edward Island	102.7	97.7	103.7	52.72	50.86	51.98
Nova Scotia	91.3	89.0	95.0	53.39	59.52	56.12
New Brunswick	87.9	93.1	96.1	57.27	58.60	56.18
Quebec	112.8	111.2	117.2	67.95	67.66	64.68
Ontario	118.4	116.7	123.0	72.91	72.73	69.94
Manitoba	105.1	103.3	107.4	65.62	65.72	62.67
Saskatchewan	119.3	114.3	115.7	66.69	66.78	63.45
Alberta	140.7	140.1	143.7	71.54	72.52	68.01
British Columbia	111.1	109.4	123.1	76.44	75.58	73.46
Canada - Composite Index	114.5	112.9	119.4	70.32	70.19	67.37
Canada - Manufacturing	108.7	108.3	115.8	72.90	72.80	69.78
<u>B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes</u>						
	<u>May 1</u> <u>1958</u>	<u>Apr. 1</u> <u>1958</u>	<u>May 1</u> <u>1957</u>			
Forestry (chiefly logging)	122.6	121.8	125.5	62.0		
Mining	121.8	125.5	120.8			
Manufacturing	108.7	108.3	115.8			
Construction	115.6	102.4	125.4			
Transportation, storage and communication	113.9	110.5	118.3			
Public utility operation	136.2	132.9	129.5			
Trade	129.0	128.4	129.4			
Finance, insurance and real estate	148.0	147.6	143.8			
Service <sup>1/</sup>	130.3	129.5	127.9			
Industrial composite	114.5	112.9	119.4			

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS JUNE, 1958.

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An increase of 3.1 p.c. recorded in industrial employment at the beginning of June brought the general index (1949=100) to 118.2. The rise from May 1 was slightly below average for the time of year, fractionally reducing the seasonally adjusted index. Industrial employment continued below its level a year ago, when the unadjusted index was 123.5. Weekly wage and salary payments were 3.8 p.c. higher in the latest survey period than a month earlier, and raised the payroll index to 195.5, virtually the same as at June 1 of last year (195.7). Per capita earnings reached a new high, at \$70.76, as compared with \$70.35 in the week of May 1, and \$67.82 at June 1, 1957.

Employment and payrolls were generally higher in all provinces than a month earlier. Average weekly wages and salaries dropped slightly in Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and British Columbia, mainly due to the addition of lower paid seasonal workers to the reported staffs. Reduced working hours in some establishments also contributed. In all provinces, however, the per capita figures were higher than in the same period in 1957 and preceding years.

Heightened activity was shown at June 1 in all main industrial divisions surveyed. As usual at the time of year, the improvement in construction was most noteworthy. There were also substantial gains in forestry, manufacturing and transportation, storage and communication. Within manufacturing, the most important increases were in foods and beverages and wood products.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at June 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	June 1 1958	May 1 1958	June 1 1957	June 1 1958	May 1 1958	June 1 1957
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	123.7	111.3	128.5	63.07	63.29	62.66
Prince Edward Island	112.9	102.7	117.1	53.39	52.72	52.17
Nova Scotia	94.1	91.3	102.4	58.33	58.38	56.01
New Brunswick	96.5	87.9	104.2	56.79	57.25	55.64
Quebec	116.7	112.8	121.1	68.04	67.99	65.12
Ontario	120.4	118.5	125.5	73.70	72.94	70.38
Manitoba	109.0	105.4	111.7	67.12	65.70	63.19
Saskatchewan	129.1	119.5	126.7	68.04	66.75	64.38
Alberta	150.5	141.1	151.9	72.36	71.45	69.33
British Columbia	115.7	111.2	127.5	76.11	76.45	74.47
Canada - Composite Index	118.2	114.6	123.5	70.76	70.35	67.82
Canada - Manufacturing	110.3	108.8	116.7	73.43	72.93	69.92
<u>B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes</u>						
	June 1 1958	May 1 1958	June 1 1957			
Forestry (chiefly logging)	64.8	42.1	93.6			
Mining	125.7	121.9	126.3			
Manufacturing	110.3	108.8	116.7			
Construction	130.4	115.9	143.2			
Transportation, storage and communication	117.5	114.0	121.8			
Public utility operation	138.4	136.3	134.7			
Trade	130.3	129.0	130.6			
Finance, insurance and real estate	148.4	148.3	143.4			
Service <sup>1/</sup>	134.4	130.6	132.1			
Industrial composite	118.2	114.6	123.5			

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS JULY, 1958.

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The July 1 industrial composite index number of employment for Canada was 121.1 (1949=100), up 2 p.c. from the index for June 1 (118.7). However, the seasonally-adjusted index dropped slightly over the period. Average weekly wages and salaries declined from \$70.76 at June 1 to \$70.61 at July 1. The composite payroll index number for July 1, 1958 was 199.8, down 1.2 p.c. from the index for July 1, 1957 (202.2).

Employment increased in all industry divisions from June 1 to July 1. Forestry showed a greater-than-normal increase for the second month in succession. In most other industries, the increases were less than seasonal. The employment situation in the building and general engineering sector of the construction industry showed signs of weakness, with the seasonally-adjusted index declining by about 3 p.c. from June 1 to July 1.

Industrial employment rose between June 1 and July 1 in all provinces, but in every case the increase was less than seasonal. Average weekly wages and salaries increased in Nova Scotia, Ontario and the Prairie Provinces, but declined elsewhere.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at July 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	July 1	June 1	July 1	July 1	June 1	July 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	133.3	123.8	144.5	62.30	63.10	64.43
Prince Edward Island	117.8	112.9	122.2	52.11	53.39	50.70
Nova Scotia	96.9	96.3	104.7	58.39	57.93	56.52
New Brunswick	100.1	96.7	108.4	56.76	56.77	56.33
Quebec	120.3	117.3	125.0	67.27	68.03	64.95
Ontario	122.3	120.7	127.6	73.85	73.71	70.92
Manitoba	111.8	109.0	113.9	67.88	67.11	64.66
Saskatchewan	133.6	129.5	132.3	69.02	67.97	66.04
Alberta	155.1	150.6	157.7	73.04	72.45	70.42
British Columbia	117.9	116.6	130.3	75.57	76.32	76.00
Canada - Composite Index	121.1	118.7	126.6	70.61	70.76	68.33
Canada - Manufacturing	111.9	110.4	118.4	73.02	73.42	70.19

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	July 1	June 1	July 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	82.9	65.5	115.4
Mining	126.8	126.2	129.5
Manufacturing	111.9	110.4	118.4
Construction	139.4	133.3	151.7
Transportation, storage and communication	119.1	117.5	124.4
Public utility operation	141.5	139.3	136.3
Trade	131.5	130.4	132.0
Finance, insurance and real estate	148.6	148.1	144.1
Service <sup>1/</sup>	140.0	136.4	137.3
Industrial composite	121.1	118.7	126.6

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS AUGUST, 1958.

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Industrial employment showed a small seasonal increase from July 1 to Aug. 1. The preliminary industrial composite index number of employment for the later date was 121.8 (1949=100); the figure for July 1 has been revised to 121.3. Average weekly wages and salaries at Aug. 1 were \$70.75, about the same as at July 1 and June 1. Average earnings in manufacturing declined from July 1 to Aug. 1, dropping to \$72.63 at the later date. A decline normally occurs over the period. The industrial composite payroll index for Aug. 1 was 201.2, up slightly from the July 1 figure but 1.4 p.c. lower than the index for Aug. 1, 1957.

Industrially, employment in construction, public utility operation and finance, insurance and real estate increased seasonally, and seasonal declines were recorded for manufacturing, trade and forestry. The index for mining showed a smaller increase than usual from July 1 to Aug. 1 owing to a drop in employment in the non-metals group. Railway employment increased less than usual, and increases in other transportation, storage and communication industries were less than seasonal. Services also showed a smaller than normal increase from July 1 to Aug. 1.

Provincially, employment dropped in Ontario and rose in all other provinces. The direction of these changes follows the normal seasonal pattern. In British Columbia, the employment situation was dull in a number of industries, and the increase in the industrial composite index was smaller than usual.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Aug. 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Aug. 1	July 1	Aug. 1	Aug. 1	July 1	Aug. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	138.2	133.4	150.2	61.94	62.28	63.31
Prince Edward Island	120.8	117.8	125.2	50.89	52.11	50.92
Nova Scotia	100.2	97.0	105.1	58.37	59.13	56.50
New Brunswick	101.9	100.2	109.8	58.72	56.82	57.36
Quebec	120.5	120.4	125.0	68.19	67.29	65.58
Ontario	122.1	122.5	127.7	73.82	73.96	71.22
Manitoba	113.7	112.0	116.3	67.47	67.87	65.22
Saskatchewan	135.9	133.8	136.9	69.37	68.99	66.10
Alberta	160.0	155.5	163.0	72.51	73.32	69.18
British Columbia	118.5	118.0	133.9	74.67	75.51	73.93
Canada - Composite Index	121.8	121.3	127.6	70.75	70.70	68.41
Canada - Manufacturing	111.6	112.0	118.1	72.63	73.06	69.95

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	Aug. 1	July 1	Aug. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	81.2	83.1	113.0
Mining	127.0	126.8	131.7
Manufacturing	111.6	112.0	118.1
Construction	147.1	140.1	158.4
Transportation, storage and communication	120.3	119.2	127.4
Public utility operation	143.5	141.4	139.9
Trade	130.3	131.5	130.9
Finance, insurance and real estate	149.3	148.6	144.9
Servicel/	142.2	141.3	140.8
Industrial composite	121.8	121.3	127.6

Note:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS SEPTEMBER, 1958.

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At Sept. 1, industrial employment was slightly lower than at Aug. 1. The composite index of employment declined from 122.0 (1949=100) to 121.5. During August, major strikes began in iron and steel, shipbuilding, water transportation and trade. Had the workers on strike been at work at the end of the month, the index number for Sept. 1 would have been slightly higher than that for Aug. 1. The decline was the first recorded for the time of year during the post-war period.

Small increases in employment were reported for construction, service, and finance, insurance and real estate. Declines of less than 1 p.c. occurred in most other industry divisions. In forestry, however, employment dropped by nearly 6 p.c. The decline was a little smaller than that occurring between Aug. 1 and Sept. 1 in 1957. Increases in logging employment occurred between the two dates in all years from 1950 to 1956.

Industrial employment changed by less than 1 p.c. in most provinces, but there was an increase of about 3 p.c. in Prince Edward Island and a decline of approximately 2 p.c. in Nova Scotia.

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries showed little change between Aug. 1 and Sept. 1. The average has been close to \$70.70 since June 1. Average earnings in manufacturing dropped by 20 cents. The composite index of payrolls declined from 201.6 at Aug. 1 to 200.8 at Sept. 1.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Sept. 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Sept.1	Aug. 1	Sept.1	Sept.1	Aug. 1	Sept.1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	138.3	139.3	144.7	61.70	61.86	62.16
Prince Edward Island	126.5	121.2	129.9	49.84	50.88	49.54
Nova Scotia	98.4	100.3	104.7	58.24	58.35	56.44
New Brunswick	103.0	102.1	109.0	57.87	58.77	57.66
Quebec	120.7	120.7	125.5	67.77	68.11	65.62
Ontario	121.1	122.2	127.3	73.61	73.89	71.04
Manitoba	113.1	113.8	115.9	67.88	67.51	65.43
Saskatchewan	136.9	135.9	137.0	69.51	69.37	66.15
Alberta	160.9	160.3	162.6	73.60	72.43	69.76
British Columbia	120.1	119.7	135.5	76.01	74.75	74.88
Canada - Composite Index	121.5	122.0	127.6	70.72	70.76	68.48
Canada - Manufacturing	111.3	111.8	118.5	72.43	72.62	69.77
<u>B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes</u>						
	Sept.1	Aug. 1	Sept.1			
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>			
Forestry (chiefly logging)	76.8	81.3	103.0			
Mining	126.1	127.2	132.5			
Manufacturing	111.3	111.8	118.5			
Construction	147.8	147.6	158.0			
Transportation, storage and communication	120.0	120.6	127.2			
Public utility operation	142.9	143.5	142.0			
Trade	129.8	130.2	131.0			
Finance, insurance and real estate	150.5	149.3	147.7			
Services	143.8	142.7	140.8			
Industrial composite	121.5	122.0	127.6			

Note:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, OCTOBER, 1958.

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The industrial composite index of employment for Oct. 1 was 121.8 (1949=100), the same as the figure for Sept. 1. Employment in manufacturing increased by 0.7 p.c. from Sept. 1 to Oct. 1. The rise of 2.8 p.c. in Ontario reflected recall of automobile workers after layoffs associated with model changes, seasonal increases in activity in canning plants, and re-opening of breweries after shut-downs resulting from strikes of distributive workers. Manufacturing employment declined seasonally in most other provinces.

Employment in forestry was up 12 p.c., partly owing to recall of workers in British Columbia after improvement in the forest fire situation. Employment increased in Ontario, Quebec and New Brunswick, but a decrease of 27 p.c. was recorded for Newfoundland as cutting operations neared completion. Employment increases were also recorded for trade and finance, insurance and real estate. Increases usually occur in these industries between Sept. 1 and Oct. 1. In the remaining industry divisions, employment declined, mainly owing to seasonal factors. Strikes affecting construction in the Toronto area led to a more-than-seasonal drop in building and general engineering.

Provincially, employment increased in Ontario and Nova Scotia, and declined in all other provinces. The largest percentage drop (3.2 p.c.) was in Newfoundland, with the decline in forestry the main factor in the decrease.

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries rose from \$70.67 at Sept. 1 to \$70.81 at Oct. 1, largely owing to a longer work week in manufacturing and increases in employment in motor vehicle plants. The composite index of payrolls increased from 201.1 to 201.6. Disbursements in forestry, manufacturing, trade and finance, insurance and real estate were higher than for the week of Sept. 1, but those in the remaining industrial divisions declined. The most noteworthy reduction was in mining in which industrial disputes occurring towards the end of September caused a large decrease in the earnings and hours reported for the period ending on or about Oct. 1.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment at Oct. 1, 1958, with Provincial  
Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Oct. 1	Sept.1	Oct. 1	Oct. 1	Sept.1	Oct. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	133.1	137.6	142.2	63.39	61.55	62.12
Prince Edward Island	124.6	126.3	127.4	50.78	50.14	52.24
Nova Scotia	99.4	98.3	102.0	58.65	58.18	57.27
New Brunswick	102.1	103.1	106.1	58.83	57.88	57.99
Quebec	120.7	121.1	126.9	68.13	67.69	65.76
Ontario	122.2	121.3	126.3	73.31	73.62	71.47
Manitoba	112.4	113.2	115.4	67.73	67.96	65.14
Saskatchewan	136.0	137.2	134.7	69.83	69.55	66.31
Alberta	159.6	161.9	160.6	73.77	73.58	70.48
British Columbia	120.3	120.5	132.1	76.38	75.65	75.62
Canada - Composite Index	121.8	121.8	126.9	70.81	70.67	68.84
Canada - Manufacturing	112.3	111.5	118.1	72.65	72.39	70.29
<u>B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes</u>						
	Oct. 1	Sept.1	Oct. 1			
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>			
Forestry (chiefly logging)	85.8	76.4	109.6			
Mining	125.2	127.1	130.0			
Manufacturing	112.3	111.5	118.1			
Construction	143.8	148.8	153.5			
Transportation, storage and communication	118.2	120.4	124.4			
Public utility operation	140.4	142.9	139.3			
Trade	133.1	129.8	133.3			
Finance, insurance and real estate	150.9	150.5	148.6			
Service <sup>1/</sup>	138.1	144.0	136.3			
Industrial composite	121.8	121.8	126.9			

Note:- These data are based on an advance tabulation of statistics received from establishments usually employing 15 persons and over. The monthly report giving more detailed area and industry statistics of employment, payrolls and average weekly earnings will be issued some days hence.

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, PAY PERIOD PRECEDING NOVEMBER 1, 1958.

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Industrial employment in the pay period preceding Nov. 1 was about 2 p.c. lower than a month previously. The preliminary index for Nov. 1 was 120.0 (1949=100). Employment declined in all industries except forestry, trade, and finance, insurance and real estate, where seasonal increases occurred. Most of the declines in the remaining industries reflected seasonal influences. However, industrial disputes in non-ferrous metals mining and smelting in Ontario contributed to the decreases in mining and manufacturing. Employment in construction also showed a more-than-seasonal decline.

Provincially, employment was up in Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia, but down in the remaining provinces. The drop in Ontario was more than seasonal, owing to the effects of the industrial disputes mentioned above. In British Columbia, employment declined less than usual from Oct. 1 to Nov. 1.

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries reached \$70.99 in the pay period preceding Nov. 1, up slightly from the Oct. 1 figure. Manufacturing earnings rose from \$72.73 to \$73.34, an increase of 61 cents. The industrial composite payroll index for the period preceding Nov. 1, 1958 was 199.0; corresponding figures for Oct. 1, 1958 and Nov. 1, 1957 were 201.8 and 201.3 respectively.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment Pay Period Preceding Nov. 1, 1958,  
with Provincial Averages of Weekly Wages and Salaries  
(1949=100)

<u>Area and Industry</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	Nov. 1	Oct. 1	Nov. 1	Nov. 1	Oct. 1	Nov. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>A. Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	130.4	132.3	138.8	61.39	63.02	61.42
Prince Edward Island	126.4	124.6	126.2	51.34	50.78	49.32
Nova Scotia	99.9	99.7	100.8	57.90	58.65	56.79
New Brunswick	100.3	102.7	103.1	58.37	58.84	57.65
Quebec	120.6	120.3	126.0	68.18	68.18	65.83
Ontario	119.3	122.2	125.5	73.83	73.41	71.78
Manitoba	111.8	112.7	113.9	67.86	67.69	64.38
Saskatchewan	132.7	135.9	132.1	68.53	69.29	66.37
Alberta	154.4	159.5	155.3	73.85	73.83	70.19
British Columbia	118.2	120.5	126.2	77.17	76.47	74.62
Canada - Composite Index	120.0	121.9	125.2	70.99	70.35	68.79
Canada - Manufacturing	110.1	112.4	116.2	73.34	72.73	70.86

B. Industrial Division Employment Indexes

	Nov. 1	Oct. 1	Nov. 1
	<u>1958</u>	<u>1958</u>	<u>1957</u>
Forestry (chiefly logging)	92.0	84.9	107.2
Mining	118.0	125.1	129.2
Manufacturing	110.1	112.4	116.2
Construction	137.3	144.2	148.6
Transportation, storage and communication	116.7	118.3	122.7
Public utility operation	138.5	140.5	137.9
Trade	134.3	133.0	134.6
Finance, insurance and real estate	151.3	150.9	148.3
Service	135.6	139.1	132.7
Industrial composite	120.0	121.9	125.2

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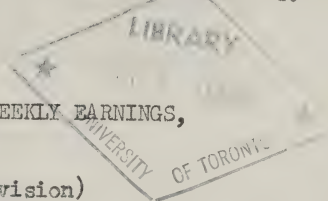


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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, DECEMBER, 1958.

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Industrial employment declined less than seasonally from the pay period preceding Nov. 1 to that preceding Dec. 1. The composite index for the later period was 119.1 (1949=100), down only 0.8 per cent over the month. The return of workers in the construction industry and in primary iron and steel in Ontario following the settlement of industrial disputes was the main factor moderating the decline. The situation in forestry and mining continued weak. Most major employment changes in other industries and areas reflected normal seasonal influences.

Industrial employment was down over the month in all provinces except Ontario, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. The contra-seasonal rise in Ontario resulted from settlement of the industrial disputes mentioned above, while that recorded for New Brunswick reflected increased employment in highways, bridges and streets construction.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose from \$71.13 for the pay period preceding Nov. 1 to \$71.55 for that preceding Dec. 1. The payroll index dropped slightly from the figure of 199.5 recorded for the pay period preceding Nov. 1. However, the index for Dec. 1 (199.1) exceeded that for the corresponding period in 1957. This was the first year-over-year increase in payrolls recorded since June 1, 1958.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
Pay Period Preceding Dec. 1, 1958.

(These general data are subject to revision before publication in the main monthly report Employment and Payrolls, which also includes detailed statistics).

Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Pay period preceding			Pay period preceding		
	Dec. 1 1958	Nov. 1 1958	Dec. 1 1957	Dec. 1 1958	Nov. 1 1958	Dec. 1 1957
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	120.0	130.1	127.8	62.85	61.97	62.00
Prince Edward Island	134.5	129.4	117.4	48.70	50.41	50.29
Nova Scotia	96.9	100.0	99.3	59.18	57.90	56.92
New Brunswick	101.2	100.3	101.1	58.27	58.37	56.79
Quebec	119.6	120.7	122.9	68.88	68.22	66.56
Ontario	119.8	119.3	124.6	74.25	73.85	72.24
Manitoba	109.4	111.8	110.9	67.65	67.88	64.22
Saskatchewan	130.1	132.8	128.1	68.14	68.57	66.36
Alberta	151.0	154.9	151.6	74.16	74.20	70.87
British Columbia	115.7	118.4	118.1	78.35	78.08	74.80
Canada	119.1	120.1	122.5	71.55	71.13	69.24
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	93.2	92.1	93.9	70.75	72.42	71.51
Mining	116.0	118.2	128.1	89.48	87.95	86.65
Manufacturing	109.6	110.1	113.3	74.05	73.35	71.69
Construction	129.4	137.5	136.9	74.70	75.20	74.81
Transportation, storage, comm.	114.5	116.9	119.9	77.13	76.09	73.15
Public utility operation	137.0	138.5	135.8	86.29	85.05	81.75
Trade	138.0	134.3	138.9	60.05	60.43	57.22
Finance, ins., real estate	151.5	151.4	148.3	67.12	67.06	63.94
Service*	133.2	135.6	130.4	49.29	48.66	47.27
Industrial composite	119.1	120.1	122.5	71.55	71.13	69.24

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS, SPECIAL YEAR-END ISSUE, 1958\*

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Industrial employment declined by 2.9 p.c. from the pay period preceding Dec. 1, 1958 to that preceding Jan. 1, 1959. The industrial composite index of employment for the later period was 115.8 (1949-100). The reduction was slightly less than seasonal, and smaller than in the corresponding periods in the two preceding years. Employment declines occurred in all provinces, but those in the Atlantic Provinces, Ontario, Manitoba and Alberta were less than seasonal. Return of workers following the ending of industrial disputes in non-ferrous metals mining and smelting in Ontario moderated the declines in employment indexes for that province and for Canada.

Average weekly wages and salaries dropped from \$71.60 during the pay period preceding Dec. 1, 1958 to \$69.06 in that preceding Jan. 1, 1959. Average earnings normally dip during the survey period in December, which includes the holiday week. The industrial composite payroll index for the period preceding Jan. 1 was 186.9, down over the month, but up from the index (182.2) for the corresponding period a year earlier.

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\*Beginning with the January 1959 issue, statistics published in this statement will be identified by labelling the figures for the last pay periods in each month as statistics for that particular month. The present issue, which contains data for the last pay periods in December, 1958 has been termed a 'Special Year-End Issue' because a December issue (containing data for the last pay periods in November) has already been released. A more detailed explanation of the dating change appears in current issues of Employment and Payrolls.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
Pay Period Preceding Jan. 1, 1959.

(These general data are subject to revision before publication in the main monthly report Employment and Payrolls, which also includes detailed statistics).

Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Pay period preceding			Pay period preceding		
	Jan. 1	Dec. 1	Jan. 1	Jan. 1	Dec. 1	Jan. 1
	1959	1958	1958	1959	1958	1958
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	112.6	121.1	116.1	60.82	62.24	60.65
Prince Edward Island	115.6	134.4	106.6	51.16	48.78	50.55
Nova Scotia	94.9	96.7	96.3	55.07	59.01	55.48
New Brunswick	100.6	101.3	97.9	58.76	58.47	56.84
Quebec	114.4	119.7	117.0	66.15	68.96	63.92
Ontario	118.1	120.0	120.3	71.59	74.31	68.79
Manitoba	108.0	109.3	107.7	66.36	67.92	62.08
Saskatchewan	123.3	130.1	121.0	69.41	68.24	65.37
Alberta	148.2	151.1	146.6	72.16	74.21	69.24
British Columbia	110.7	115.3	111.6	74.84	78.26	70.55
Canada	115.8	119.2	117.5	69.06	71.60	66.35
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.7	93.3	86.8	71.14	75.40	69.56
Mining	115.4	115.9	126.1	84.38	89.48	83.22
Manufacturing	106.9	109.6	109.0	71.06	74.11	68.47
Construction	107.6	129.5	111.3	65.64	74.66	64.87
Transportation, storage, comm.	112.5	114.5	116.1	76.52	77.26	71.34
Public utility operation	134.7	137.0	133.8	85.35	86.36	80.68
Trade	140.7	138.3	140.5	60.53	60.17	57.31
Finance, ins., real estate	151.3	151.5	147.9	67.25	67.12	64.05
Service*	131.7	133.3	127.5	48.68	49.20	46.65
Industrial composite	115.8	119.2	117.5	69.06	71.60	66.35

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The industrial composite index number of employment for January, 1959 was 113.7 (1949=100), down 2 p.c. from the index number for December, 1958. The greater part of the decline resulted from reductions in retail trade following the end of the Christmas holiday season. Seasonal drops in forestry, construction and water transportation also contributed to the decrease. The declines were moderated by the return of workers in non-ferrous metals mining and smelting who had been engaged in industrial disputes in the latter part of 1958. This factor was responsible for the increases in employment indexes for durable goods manufacturing and mining. However, it appears that the decline in the composite index would have been a little less than seasonal even if there had been no increase in non-ferrous metals.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose sharply after dipping seasonally during the latter part of December. Levels reached in manufacturing, trade and construction during January were well above those for November, 1958. The industrial composite payroll index for January, 1959 was 192.0, up 4.4 p.c. from the index for January, 1958.

\*Statistics in this statement will in future be identified by labelling the figures for the last pay period in each month as statistics for that particular month. The figures which were labelled as statistics for the 'pay period preceding Jan. 1' in last month's report are reprinted in the present report as statistics for December, 1958. As usual, some of these figures have been revised on the basis of information received since they were first published.

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January, 1959.

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	Jan <sup>a</sup> / 1959	Dec <sup>b</sup> / 1958	Jan. 1958	Jan <sup>a</sup> / 1959	Dec <sup>b</sup> / 1958	Jan. 1958
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	110.6	112.5	108.4	60.77	60.80	61.67
Prince Edward Island	101.8	115.6	94.2	54.82	51.16	52.71
Nova Scotia	93.8	94.6	92.3	59.26	54.93	58.44
New Brunswick	98.4	100.5	93.8	59.74	58.88	57.63
Quebec	111.8	114.4	113.2	69.63	66.10	66.64
Ontario	116.6	118.0	117.0	75.33	71.47	72.08
Manitoba	105.9	107.9	103.9	67.86	66.24	64.87
Saskatchewan	118.9	123.1	114.4	68.36	68.25	66.48
Alberta	144.4	148.4	142.2	74.44	71.99	71.56
British Columbia	107.8	110.9	106.9	78.05	74.35	73.59
Canada	113.7	115.8	113.7	72.28	68.91	69.25
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	77.1	89.5	76.3	66.55	70.52	63.77
Mining	122.4	115.4	126.2	89.46	84.13	87.52
Manufacturing	107.5	106.8	107.9	75.12	70.91	71.61
Durable goods	112.0	111.4	115.2	80.72	75.82	76.53
Non-durable goods	103.6	102.8	101.7	69.94	66.34	66.35
Construction	105.2	108.0	105.9	75.50	65.31	75.47
Transportation, storage, comm.	109.4	112.5	111.0	76.94	76.50	71.87
Public utility operation	132.0	134.7	132.3	86.52	85.54	81.80
Trade	129.7	140.7	127.7	62.21	60.37	59.43
Finance, ins., real estate	151.3	151.4	147.5	67.60	67.33	64.39
Service*	131.1	131.8	128.3	49.50	48.68	47.14
Industrial composite	113.7	115.8	113.7	72.28	68.91	69.25

\*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

<sup>a</sup>/Pay period preceding Feb. 1, 1959.

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Industrial employment in the latter part of February was slightly lower than in the corresponding period in January. The composite employment index declined from 113.7 to 113.0 over the month. Seasonal influences were partly responsible for the decline. In manufacturing, the principal non-seasonal causes of employment change were layoff of workers from plants of aircraft manufacturers and their suppliers, and the return of employees of motor vehicle plants who had been on strike during the survey period in January. The Canada employment index for mining dropped 3 p.c. owing to layoff of workers in coal mines in Nova Scotia.

Average weekly wages and salaries showed a further increase from January to February, advancing 75 cents over the month. The industrial composite payroll index for February was 192.9 up slightly from the index number of 192.2 for January.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
February, 1959.

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	Feb. <sup>a</sup> / 1959	Jan. <sup>b</sup> / 1959	Feb. <sup>a</sup> / 1958	Feb. <sup>a</sup> / 1959 \$	Jan. <sup>b</sup> / 1959 \$	Feb. <sup>a</sup> / 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	104.5	111.6	109.3	64.32	60.73	62.77
Prince Edward Island	100.7	101.8	100.2	55.63	54.62	50.23
Nova Scotia	87.1	93.9	90.8	60.16	59.26	59.44
New Brunswick	97.6	98.3	94.8	60.56	59.47	59.35
Quebec	111.2	111.8	112.3	70.20	69.65	67.42
Ontario	116.0	116.6	116.3	75.84	75.46	72.43
Manitoba	105.1	105.9	102.7	69.38	68.01	65.73
Saskatchewan	117.7	118.5	113.1	69.12	68.34	67.49
Alberta	145.1	144.1	140.2	76.59	74.78	73.07
British Columbia	109.2	108.0	108.9	78.88	77.90	75.52
Canada	113.0	113.7	113.0	73.09	72.34	70.02
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	69.8	77.5	71.4	70.11	65.93	73.55
Mining	118.9	122.4	126.8	93.40	89.85	88.26
Manufacturing	107.5	107.5	108.2	75.55	75.16	72.08
Durable goods	111.5	112.0	115.1	81.01	80.72	77.11
Non-durable goods	104.0	103.7	102.2	70.54	70.02	67.22
Construction	104.0	105.0	101.9	76.34	75.62	75.09
Transportation, storage, comm.	108.5	109.3	110.7	77.92	76.93	73.25
Public utility operation	131.9	132.0	131.8	87.30	86.52	83.35
Trade	128.8	129.6	126.5	62.91	62.44	59.74
Finance, ins., real estate	150.8	151.3	147.0	68.36	67.60	65.42
Service*	131.6	131.6	128.5	50.19	49.63	48.40
Industrial composite	113.0	113.7	113.0	73.09	72.34	70.02

\*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

<sup>a</sup>/Pay period preceding March 1.

<sup>b</sup>/Pay period preceding Feb. 1.



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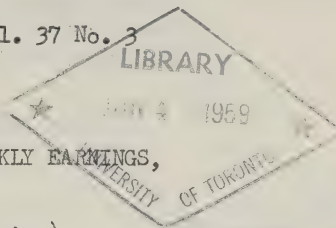
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The index of industrial employment increased more between February and March this year than in any previous year since 1950. The index reached 113.7 (1949=100) in the latter part of March, up 0.6 p.c. from the February figure. Industries in which the gain between the two months was the largest in recent years included construction and transportation, storage and communication.

Average weekly wages and salaries declined in the latter part of March as many workers were on unpaid holiday for one or more days over the Easter period. The industrial composite figure dropped from \$73.11 in February to \$72.63 in the March survey period. The industrial composite payroll index for March was 193.0, a figure approximately the same as that recorded for February.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
March, 1959.

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Mar.a/ <u>1959</u>	Feb.b/ <u>1959</u>	Mar.a/ <u>1958</u>	Mar.a/ <u>1959</u> \$	Feb.b/ <u>1959</u> \$	Mar.a/ <u>1958</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	106.2	104.5	111.2	64.10	64.26	63.74
Prince Edward Island	110.7	101.2	97.7	55.29	55.70	50.86
Nova Scotia	87.8	87.1	89.0	59.83	60.27	59.52
New Brunswick	96.4	97.5	93.1	61.17	60.55	58.60
Quebec	110.9	111.2	111.2	69.56	70.21	67.66
Ontario	116.9	116.0	116.7	75.37	75.83	72.73
Manitoba	105.9	105.1	103.3	68.97	69.38	65.72
Saskatchewan	119.2	118.3	114.3	69.07	69.24	66.78
Alberta	145.9	145.0	140.1	75.49	76.71	72.52
British Columbia	112.2	109.5	109.4	78.73	79.02	75.58
Canada	113.7	113.0	112.9	72.63	73.11	70.20
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	53.3	70.1	54.8	74.56	70.80	75.33
Mining	118.4	118.8	125.5	91.43	93.21	87.62
Manufacturing	108.3	107.5	108.3	75.25	75.59	72.80
Durable goods	113.1	111.6	115.2	80.71	81.10	77.86
Non-durable goods	104.1	104.0	102.3	70.17	70.53	67.93
Construction	107.3	104.0	102.4	73.33	76.38	75.72
Transportation, storage, comm.	109.8	108.5	110.5	77.59	77.91	72.74
Public utility operation	133.1	132.5	132.9	87.41	87.10	82.11
Trade	131.2	129.0	128.4	62.68	62.98	59.36
Finance, ins., real estate	151.1	150.8	147.6	69.02	68.36	65.88
Service*	132.4	131.7	129.5	49.97	50.14	48.32
Industrial composite	113.7	113.0	112.9	72.63	73.11	70.20

\*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

a/Pay period preceding Apr. 1.

b/Pay period preceding Mar. 1.





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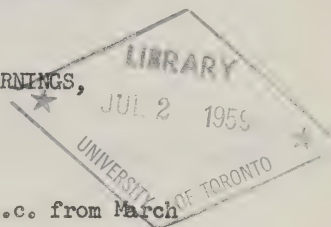
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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,  
APRIL, 1959

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Industrial employment rose seasonally by 1.6 p.c. from March to April. The composite index for April was 115.5 (1949=100). Mining employment was up 1.9 p.c., largely owing to the recall of Nova Scotia coal miners who had been laid off during March. Employment in other industry divisions showed normal seasonal variations, with increases recorded for all industries except forestry. A reduction in transportation in New Brunswick led to a seasonal decline in the composite index for that province, but in all other provinces the index was up from the March figure.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose from \$72.60 in the latter part of March to \$73.30 in the corresponding part of April. Workers who were on unpaid holiday for one or more days over the Easter period had received less than their normal weekly earnings during the survey period in March. The rise from March to April in part reflects return to a normal work week.

The industrial composite payroll index for April was 197.9, up 2.5 p.c. from the figure for March. The April 1958 index was 188.3.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
April, 1959.

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	<u>Apr. a/</u> <u>1959</u>	<u>Mar. b/</u> <u>1959</u>	<u>Apr. a/</u> <u>1958</u>	<u>Apr. a/</u> <u>1959</u> \$	<u>Mar. b/</u> <u>1959</u> \$	<u>Apr. a/</u> <u>1958</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	106.7	106.4	111.3	65.17	64.65	63.29
Prince Edward Island	108.5	104.4	102.7	56.45	54.88	52.72
Nova Scotia	92.2	87.9	91.3	60.28	59.75	58.38
New Brunswick	91.1	96.3	87.9	60.08	61.14	57.25
Quebec	113.5	111.0	112.8	70.54	69.50	67.98
Ontario	118.5	116.9	118.5	76.07	75.39	72.94
Manitoba	107.6	105.9	105.4	69.38	68.92	65.70
Saskatchewan	123.9	119.5	119.5	69.23	69.04	66.75
Alberta	146.5	145.9	141.1	74.95	75.27	71.45
British Columbia	114.1	112.2	111.2	79.85	78.70	76.45
Canada	115.5	113.7	114.6	73.30	72.60	70.35
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	42.9	52.9	42.1	78.13	74.59	77.47
Mining	120.6	118.4	121.9	90.75	91.65	86.19
Manufacturing	109.4	108.4	108.8	75.60	75.22	72.92
Durable goods	114.9	113.3	115.5	81.33	80.73	78.28
Non-durable goods	104.8	104.2	103.0	70.40	70.11	67.77
Construction	118.5	107.1	115.9	75.59	73.11	74.19
Transportation, storage, comm.	112.4	109.7	114.0	78.50	77.64	73.26
Public utility operation	135.8	133.1	136.3	87.59	87.38	83.76
Trade	131.4	131.1	129.0	63.19	62.68	59.97
Finance, ins., real estate	151.3	151.0	148.3	69.34	69.04	66.27
Service*	134.4	132.6	130.6	50.35	50.01	48.86
Industrial composite	115.5	113.7	114.6	73.30	72.60	70.35

\*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS MAY, 1959

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The industrial composite index number of employment for May was 119.3 (1949=100), up seasonally by 3.1 p.c. from the April figure of 115.7. Increases were recorded for each industry division, and for every province. Seasonal influences were the main factors in most of these changes. Manufacturing employment was up a little more than seasonally, while the April to May increase in the highways, bridges and streets construction was somewhat smaller than usual.

The Canada composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries increased by 67 cents from April to May, reaching \$73.93 in the latter month. The composite payroll index for May 1959 was 206.1, up 4 p.c. from the index number for April 1959 and 5 p.c. from that for May 1958.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
May, 1959.

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	May a/ 1959	Apr. b/ 1959	May a/ 1958	May a/ 1959 \$	Apr. b/ 1959 \$	May a/ 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	117.6	107.2	123.8	63.51	65.13	63.10
Prince Edward Island	127.4	108.7	112.9	55.59	55.63	53.39
Nova Scotia	95.9	94.0	96.3	60.55	59.88	57.93
New Brunswick	97.4	91.2	96.7	59.81	60.05	56.77
Quebec	117.5	113.7	117.3	70.74	70.55	68.03
Ontario	121.1	118.5	120.7	76.97	75.98	73.71
Manitoba	111.5	107.6	109.0	70.52	69.38	67.11
Saskatchewan	132.9	124.0	129.5	69.64	69.22	67.97
Alberta	153.9	146.2	150.6	75.98	75.00	72.45
British Columbia	117.6	114.5	116.6	81.26	80.02	76.32
Canada	119.3	115.7	118.7	73.93	73.26	70.76
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	61.2	42.6	65.5	70.50	78.20	69.16
Mining	123.3	120.6	126.2	89.31	90.70	85.33
Manufacturing	111.5	109.5	110.4	76.48	75.69	73.42
Durable goods	117.7	114.9	117.4	82.10	81.32	78.84
Non-durable goods	106.3	104.8	104.5	71.15	70.41	68.21
Construction	131.6	120.1	133.3	77.86	75.45	75.18
Transportation, storage, comm.	116.0	112.3	117.5	79.66	78.27	74.60
Public utility operation	139.7	135.8	139.3	87.34	87.56	83.13
Trade	133.1	131.5	130.4	63.49	63.20	60.19
Finance, ins., real estate	151.8	151.5	148.1	69.33	69.38	66.55
Service*	138.4	134.5	136.4	50.24	50.34	48.34
Industrial composite	119.3	115.7	118.7	73.93	73.26	70.76

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The industrial composite employment index rose from 119.6 in May (1949=100) to 123.3 in June, an increase of 3.1 p.c. This advance was amongst the largest recorded between the two months in recent years. The seasonally-adjusted composite index rose by 0.7 p.c., mainly owing to more-than-seasonal increases in forestry, durable goods manufacturing and construction.

Average weekly wages and salaries declined slightly over the month. The composite figure for the last pay period in June was \$73.71. The composite payroll index for June 1959 was 212.4, up 6 p.c. from the figure for June 1958.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
June, 1959.

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	June <sup>a</sup> / 1959	May <sup>b</sup> / 1959	June <sup>a</sup> / 1958	June <sup>a</sup> / 1959 \$	May <sup>b</sup> / 1959 \$	June <sup>a</sup> / 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	135.7	117.5	133.4	64.88	63.58	62.28
Prince Edward Island	133.3	127.4	117.8	54.00	55.59	52.11
Nova Scotia	97.8	96.0	97.0	59.54	60.55	59.13
New Brunswick	103.8	98.0	100.2	59.39	59.73	56.82
Quebec	121.6	117.6	120.4	70.41	70.69	67.29
Ontario	124.1	121.4	122.5	76.94	76.73	73.96
Manitoba	115.5	111.8	112.0	71.22	70.60	67.87
Saskatchewan	138.0	133.2	133.8	70.24	69.77	68.99
Alberta	161.3	154.7	155.5	75.32	75.94	73.32
British Columbia	121.4	117.9	118.0	80.44	81.29	75.51
Canada	123.3	119.6	121.3	73.71	73.82	70.70
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	86.5	61.9	83.1	70.98	70.55	70.70
Mining	126.4	123.3	126.8	89.42	89.37	86.08
Manufacturing	114.1	111.7	112.0	76.01	76.20	73.06
Durable goods	120.1	117.8	118.3	81.69	81.72	78.20
Non-durable goods	109.0	106.4	106.6	70.70	71.01	68.18
Construction	143.2	133.0	140.1	76.74	77.96	74.91
Transportation, storage, comm.	118.3	116.0	119.2	80.16	79.69	74.75
Public utility operation	141.9	139.8	141.4	87.73	87.25	82.95
Trade	134.6	133.4	131.5	63.63	63.46	60.60
Finance, ins., real estate	152.4	151.8	148.6	69.40	69.33	66.63
Service*	144.3	138.7	141.3	49.66	50.23	47.96
Industrial composite	123.3	119.6	121.3	73.71	73.82	70.70

\*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

<sup>a</sup>/Pay period preceding July 1.

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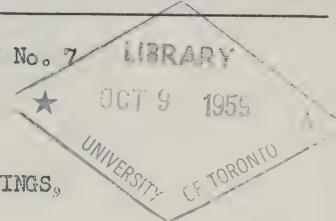
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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,  
JULY, 1959

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Employment in most industries covered in the monthly survey showed normal seasonal movements from June to July. Industrial disputes in British Columbia led to substantial declines in wood products and forestry. The reductions in these two industries were the main factors in the decline in the seasonally-adjusted composite index, which fell by about 1 p.c. between the two months. The unadjusted composite was down slightly, dropping from 123.5 (1949=100) in June to 123.1 in July.

Average weekly wages and salaries, which dipped by 11 cents from May to June, regained most of the loss in July. The composite figure for the latter part of July was \$73.78. The composite payroll index for July 1959 was 212.3, up 5.3 p.c. from the figure for July 1958.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
July, 1959.

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	July <sup>a</sup> / 1959	June <sup>b</sup> / 1959	July <sup>a</sup> / 1958	July <sup>a</sup> / 1959 \$	June <sup>b</sup> / 1959 \$	July <sup>a</sup> / 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	143.4	136.3	139.3	64.43	64.19	61.86
Prince Edward Island	142.2	137.4	123.1	53.73	53.60	50.50
Nova Scotia	101.5	97.9	100.3	60.63	59.62	58.35
New Brunswick	106.7	104.7	102.1	60.95	59.33	58.77
Quebec	122.6	121.7	120.7	70.73	70.38	68.11
Ontario	123.7	124.3	122.2	77.01	76.97	73.89
Manitoba	117.7	115.8	113.8	71.20	71.21	67.51
Saskatchewan	141.2	138.4	135.9	70.65	70.21	69.37
Alberta	164.4	161.6	160.3	75.71	75.36	72.43
British Columbia	110.6	121.8	119.7	79.97	80.49	74.75
Canada	123.1	123.5	122.0	73.78	73.71	70.76
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	78.1	87.2	81.3	69.72	70.96	70.48
Mining	127.8	126.4	127.2	90.11	89.64	84.74
Manufacturing	112.1	114.2	111.8	75.62	75.96	72.62
Durable goods	115.1	120.3	116.5	81.63	81.70	77.75
Non-durable goods	109.5	109.1	107.9	70.27	70.60	67.89
Construction	150.4	144.0	147.6	78.37	76.71	76.36
Transportation, storage, comm.	119.5	118.3	120.6	80.59	80.18	75.30
Public utility operation	143.7	142.7	143.5	86.81	87.29	83.22
Trade	134.1	134.7	130.2	63.86	63.75	60.85
Finance, ins., real estate	152.7	152.4	149.3	69.45	69.40	66.65
Service*	147.3	144.8	142.7	49.09	49.63	47.76
Industrial composite	123.1	123.5	122.0	73.78	73.71	70.76

\*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

<sup>a</sup>/Pay period preceding Aug. 1.

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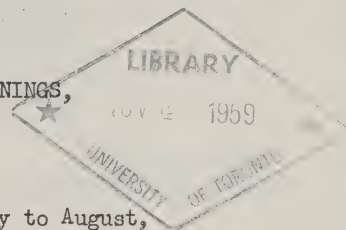
Industrial employment increased about 1 p.c. from July to August, with the composite index reaching 124.2 (1949 = 100) in the latter month. The trend in iron and steel products remained upwards, and more-than-seasonal increases were also reported for trade. Indexes for durable goods manufacturing and forestry continued to reflect industrial disputes in the lumber industry in British Columbia. Seasonal increases in the food and beverage and the clothing industries were responsible for most of the increase in non-durable goods manufacturing. Employment in the automobile industry dropped sharply as plants shut down for model changeover.

Average weekly wages and salaries declined by 30 cents from July to August. The composite figure for the latter month was \$73.46. The composite payroll index for July 1959 was 213.3, up from 212.3 in July 1958 and 201.1 in August 1958.

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August, 1959.

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	Aug. <sup>a</sup> / 1959	July <sup>b</sup> / 1959	Aug. <sup>a</sup> / 1958	Aug. <sup>a</sup> / 1959 \$	July <sup>b</sup> / 1959 \$	Aug. <sup>a</sup> / 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	143.4	143.9	138.1	63.43	64.44	61.57
Prince Edward Island	148.8	146.5	126.3	53.62	52.66	50.14
Nova Scotia	102.5	101.5	98.3	59.87	60.50	58.18
New Brunswick	106.7	106.8	103.1	60.73	61.11	57.88
Quebec	123.8	122.7	121.1	70.41	70.65	67.70
Ontario	124.7	123.8	121.3	76.64	77.02	73.62
Manitoba	118.8	117.9	113.2	71.53	71.02	67.96
Saskatchewan	141.7	141.4	137.2	70.84	70.67	69.55
Alberta	166.6	164.5	161.9	75.26	75.72	73.58
British Columbia	112.2	110.2	120.5	79.63	80.07	75.65
Canada	124.2	123.1	121.8	73.46	73.76	70.67
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	76.1	78.1	76.4	67.90	69.78	70.31
Mining	127.2	127.8	127.1	89.14	90.08	85.93
Manufacturing	113.4	112.2	111.5	75.37	75.56	72.40
Durable goods	114.1	115.0	113.0	81.59	81.56	78.05
Non-durable goods	112.8	109.8	110.2	70.03	70.23	67.44
Construction	154.1	150.7	148.8	78.04	78.47	76.13
Transportation, storage, comm.	119.6	119.7	120.4	80.36	80.47	75.44
Public utility operation	145.2	145.0	142.9	87.56	86.93	84.20
Trade	135.0	133.8	129.8	63.37	63.83	60.72
Finance, ins., real estate	155.7	152.8	150.5	68.88	69.41	66.65
Service*	147.4	147.2	144.0	49.36	49.29	47.35
Industrial Composite	124.2	123.1	121.8	73.46	73.76	70.67

\*Mainly hotels, restaurants, laundries, dry cleaning plants, business and recreational services.

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,  
September, 1959

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Industrial employment increased by about 1 p.c. from August to September, with the composite index rising from 124.2 to 125.3. The settlement of industrial disputes which had affected the lumber industry in British Columbia was the main factor in this increase.

Employment in manufacturing was up 1.5 p.c. The main increases were in wood products (settlement of disputes in British Columbia) and the automobile industry (start on production of 1960 models). These increases were partly offset by declines in fruit and vegetable canning, where activity declined from the seasonal peak earlier in the fall than usual.

Forestry employment rose by 28 p.c., partly owing to seasonal increases in Eastern Canada, and partly owing to the return of workers following settlement of disputes in British Columbia. Except as noted, changes followed normal seasonal patterns fairly closely, although there were indications of a slight strengthening of the general employment situation.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose from \$73.42 in August to \$74.36 in September, an increase of 94 cents. The composite payroll index for September 1959 was 217.9, up from 213.3 in August 1959 and 201.8 in September 1958.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
September, 1959.

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Sept.a/ 1959	Aug.b/ 1959	Sept.a/ 1958	Sept.a/ 1959 \$	Aug.b/ 1959 \$	Sept.a/ 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	143.5	143.6	132.3	63.02	63.41	63.02
Prince Edward Island	145.5	150.8	124.6	55.39	53.70	50.78
Nova Scotia	99.6	101.0	99.7	61.35	60.20	58.65
New Brunswick	106.2	106.4	102.7	61.17	60.75	58.84
Quebec	124.7	124.0	120.8	71.22	70.38	68.18
Ontario	125.3	124.7	122.2	77.68	76.52	73.41
Manitoba	117.7	119.0	112.7	71.37	71.50	67.69
Saskatchewan	138.1	140.0	135.9	71.15	70.94	69.29
Alberta	164.8	166.7	159.5	75.93	75.22	73.83
British Columbia	122.7	112.6	120.5	80.49	79.68	76.47
Canada	125.3	124.2	121.9	74.36	73.42	70.85
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	97.2	76.0	84.9	71.98	75.27	71.82
Mining	125.7	127.0	125.1	91.28	89.19	85.79
Manufacturing	115.2	113.5	112.4	76.50	75.27	72.73
Durable goods	119.1	114.1	114.1	83.08	81.48	78.45
Non-durable goods	111.9	112.9	110.9	70.57	69.98	67.70
Construction	151.4	154.4	144.2	79.59	77.92	76.25
Transportation, storage, Comm.	118.0	119.2	118.3	81.01	80.51	75.57
Public utility operation	142.3	145.6	140.5	88.93	87.38	84.72
Trade	138.0	135.2	133.0	63.16	63.34	60.52
Finance, ins., real estate	155.5	155.7	150.9	68.97	68.78	66.91
Service*	142.7	147.5	139.1	50.30	49.36	48.04
Industrial Composite	125.3	124.2	121.9	74.36	73.42	70.85

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Industrial employment declined seasonally from September to October. The composite index for October was 124.4 (1949 = 100), down 1 p.c. from the index number for the previous month. As usual, employment in trade increased, and there was a rise in forestry as winter woods operations began. Employment declined in all other industry divisions, mainly owing to seasonal influences.

In manufacturing, employment declined by 1.2 p.c. between September and October. Seasonal reductions in food and beverages, textiles, clothing, paper products and wood products were the main factors in this reduction. In some previous years, increases in automobile plants associated with the ending of the re-tooling period partly offset declines in the industries mentioned. In 1959, however, automobile plants completed re-tooling in time to recall assembly-line workers before the end of September, and employment in the industry showed little increase during October.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose from \$74.30 in September to \$74.67 in October. The composite payroll index for October 1959 was 217.2. Corresponding figures for September 1959 and October 1958 were 218.3 and 199.5 respectively.

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October, 1959

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Oct.a/ 1959	Sept.b/ 1959	Oct.a/ 1958	Oct.a/ 1959 \$	Sept.b/ 1959 \$	Oct.a/ 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	140.8	144.8	130.1	65.54	63.45	61.97
Prince Edward Island	138.7	145.5	129.4	55.24	55.39	50.41
Nova Scotia	100.2	99.9	100.0	61.70	61.28	57.90
New Brunswick	104.0	106.2	100.3	60.86	61.10	58.37
Quebec	123.9	124.9	120.7	71.85	71.19	68.23
Ontario	124.9	125.6	119.3	77.49	77.50	73.85
Manitoba	116.4	118.0	111.8	71.05	71.24	67.88
Saskatchewan	135.1	137.9	132.8	71.55	71.50	68.57
Alberta	160.3	165.0	154.9	76.71	76.07	74.20
British Columbia	120.9	122.9	118.4	82.11	80.54	78.08
Canada	124.4	125.6	120.1	74.67	74.30	71.13
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	102.0	97.2	92.1	74.40	71.88	72.42
Mining	124.9	125.8	118.2	91.79	91.27	87.95
Manufacturing	113.9	115.3	110.1	77.10	76.43	73.36
Durable goods	119.1	119.4	112.4	83.41	82.97	78.87
Non-durable goods	109.5	111.8	108.2	71.31	70.54	68.47
Construction	146.7	151.7	137.5	79.12	79.77	75.20
Transportation, storage, Comm.	116.0	118.0	116.9	81.72	81.02	76.09
Public utility operation	140.4	142.4	138.5	89.29	88.96	85.05
Trade	140.1	138.7	134.3	63.26	63.05	60.43
Finance, ins., real estate	155.3	155.5	151.4	68.27	68.97	67.06
Service*	140.5	144.6	135.6	50.96	50.42	48.66
Industrial Composite	124.4	125.6	120.1	74.67	74.30	71.13

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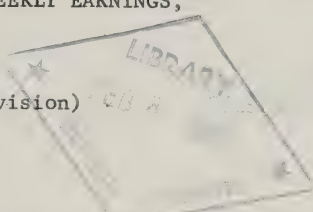
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

NOVEMBER, 1959

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The industrial composite index number of employment for November was 121.8 (1949 = 100), down 2.1 p.c. from the index for October. Seasonal factors accounted for about half the decline. Steel shortages were the main factor in the reductions in durable goods manufacturing, leading to major layoffs in the automobile industry and to smaller reductions in iron and steel products. Employment movements in most other industries followed normal seasonal patterns, although declines in construction were somewhat greater than is usual at the time of year.

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries declined from \$74.64 in October to \$74.28 in November. Reductions in activity in durable goods manufacturing industries contributed to the decrease. The composite payroll index declined from 217.3 in October to 211.6 in November, a decrease of 2.6 p.c.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
November, 1959

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949-100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Nov.a/ 1959	Oct.b/ 1959	Nov.a/ 1958	Nov.a/ 1959 \$	Oct.b/ 1959 \$	Nov.a/ 1958 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	134.2	141.5	121.1	63.74	64.34	62.24
Prince Edward Island	132.7	139.1	134.4	55.55	55.20	48.78
Nova Scotia	99.8	100.2	96.5	60.85	61.69	59.15
New Brunswick	105.0	104.3	101.3	60.41	60.85	58.47
Quebec	122.2	124.1	119.7	71.99	71.81	68.96
Ontario	122.3	125.0	120.0	76.83	77.47	74.31
Manitoba	113.2	116.4	109.3	70.60	71.06	67.92
Saskatchewan	129.3	135.2	130.1	70.44	71.54	68.24
Alberta	155.2	160.3	151.1	76.53	76.57	74.21
British Columbia	117.4	120.8	115.3	81.74	82.08	78.26
Canada	121.8	124.5	119.2	74.28	74.64	71.60
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	103.1	102.6	93.3	73.73	74.12	75.40
Mining	123.6	124.9	115.7	93.40	91.89	89.65
Manufacturing	110.7	114.0	109.6	76.86	77.06	74.11
Durable goods	114.6	119.1	113.2	82.78	83.41	79.45
Non-durable goods	107.4	109.6	106.5	71.54	71.24	69.26
Construction	133.4	147.0	129.5	78.32	79.01	74.66
Transportation, storage, comm.	114.4	116.1	114.5	81.19	81.69	77.26
Public utility operation	138.4	140.4	137.0	90.26	89.38	86.36
Trade	143.0	140.0	138.3	62.63	63.28	60.17
Finance, ins., real estate	155.3	155.4	151.5	68.42	68.30	67.12
Service*	139.4	141.5	133.3	51.45	51.32	49.20
Industrial Composite	121.8	124.5	119.2	74.28	74.64	71.60

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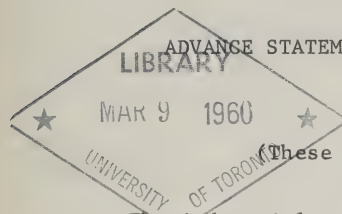
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

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The industrial composite index number of employment for December was 118.2, down 3 p.c. from the figure of 121.8 recorded for November. Seasonal factors led to declines in all industry divisions except trade. The effect of seasonal influences on employment in durable goods manufacturing was partly offset by non-seasonal increases in the automobile industries. In November, large numbers of automobile workers had been laid off owing to shortages of steel. Improvements in the supply situation following settlement of strikes in the United States led to the recall of these workers in December.

Employment indexes for all provinces and for all industry divisions except transportation, storage and communication were higher in December 1959 than in December 1958. The year-to-year rise in the industrial composite index amounted to 2.1 p.c.

The composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries for December was \$72.55. As usual, average weekly earnings were lower in the last pay period in December than in the corresponding period in November. The month-to-month decline this year amounted to \$1.68. Many workers were laid off or on unpaid leave towards the end of December, although most received pay for Christmas Day. The composite payroll index for December was 200.7, down 5.2 p.c. from the November figure.

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December, 1959

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949-100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Dec. 1959	Nov. 1959	Dec. 1958	Dec. 1959	Nov. 1959	Dec. 1958
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	119.5	133.7	112.5	62.14	63.65	60.80
Prince Edward Island	120.2	132.7	115.6	54.52	55.55	51.16
Nova Scotia	97.0	99.7	94.6	58.30	60.84	54.93
New Brunswick	105.8	104.8	100.5	60.17	60.44	58.88
Quebec	116.9	122.4	114.4	69.85	71.92	66.10
Ontario	120.0	122.3	118.0	75.28	76.78	71.47
Manitoba	109.4	113.2	107.9	69.28	70.59	66.24
Saskatchewan	123.6	129.4	123.1	70.70	70.42	68.25
Alberta	151.7	155.1	148.4	74.69	76.43	71.99
British Columbia	114.2	117.3	110.9	79.29	81.70	74.35
Canada	118.2	121.8	115.8	72.55	74.23	68.91
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	97.5	102.7	89.5	70.14	73.56	70.52
Mining	121.8	123.7	115.4	89.13	93.24	84.13
Manufacturing	108.4	110.6	106.8	75.34	76.86	70.91
Durable goods	113.9	114.4	111.4	80.98	82.79	75.82
Non-durable goods	103.8	107.4	102.8	70.13	71.53	66.35
Construction	114.6	133.5	108.0	70.36	78.24	65.31
Transportation, storage, comm.	110.2	114.6	112.5	80.45	81.10	76.50
Public utility operation	136.7	138.4	134.7	90.83	90.25	85.54
Trade	143.6	143.1	140.7	62.92	62.60	60.37
Finance, ins., real estate	155.0	155.3	151.4	68.75	68.41	67.33
Service*	137.1	139.7	131.8	51.28	51.44	48.68
Industrial Composite	118.2	121.8	115.8	72.55	74.23	68.91

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

JANUARY, 1960

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Industrial employment declined seasonally by 2.5 p.c. from December to January. The composite index for January was 115.2 (1949=100). Reductions in trade following the end of the Christmas holiday season accounted for half of the employment drop. Declines in construction, forestry and water transportation also contributed substantially to the reduction. The decrease in construction was more than seasonal. Employment in manufacturing and mining rose slightly, following the normal seasonal pattern.

Industrial employment in recent months has shown little variation except for movements which may be assigned to normal seasonal factors or irregular occurrences. This is in contrast to the situation in the winter of 1958-59, when the underlying trend of activity was moderately upwards, and termination of a number of major industrial disputes also led to improvements in the general employment situation. Comparisons of statistics for January 1960 with those for January 1959 indicate a rise of 1.3 p.c. in industrial employment over the year. Forestry, service, trade, finance and durable goods manufacturing showed decided increases. Employment in construction, public utility operation, mining and non-durable goods manufacturing was up marginally, or unchanged. The only industry division in which employment was lower in January 1960 than in January 1959 was transportation, storage and communication.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose in January to exceed \$75 for the first time. The \$70 level was first surpassed in February 1958. The composite payroll index for January was 202.2, up 1.1 p.c. over the month, and 5.2 p.c. over the year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
January, 1960

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949-100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	Jan. <u>1960</u>	Dec. <u>1959</u>	Jan. <u>1959</u>	Jan. <u>1960</u> \$	Dec. <u>1959</u> \$	Jan. <u>1959</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	111.8	118.8	111.6	64.94	62.31	60.73
Prince Edward Island	105.4	120.2	101.8	57.49	54.52	54.62
Nova Scotia	92.1	97.0	93.9	62.73	58.22	59.26
New Brunswick	102.9	105.6	98.3	62.52	60.20	59.47
Quebec	113.9	116.5	111.8	72.30	69.76	69.65
Ontario	118.0	120.0	116.6	77.87	75.07	75.46
Manitoba	106.3	109.6	105.9	70.75	68.97	68.01
Saskatchewan	117.4	123.9	118.5	70.62	70.62	68.34
Alberta	146.9	151.2	144.1	77.42	74.51	74.78
British Columbia	109.4	113.9	108.0	81.71	79.30	77.90
Canada	115.2	118.1	113.7	75.05	72.41	72.34
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	88.0	97.5	77.5	69.70	70.58	65.93
Mining	122.5	121.8	122.4	92.53	89.07	89.85
Manufacturing	108.5	108.4	107.5	77.99	75.14	75.16
Durable goods	114.2	114.0	112.0	84.15	80.58	80.72
Non-durable goods	103.7	103.7	103.7	72.27	70.09	70.02
Construction	105.4	113.3	105.0	79.22	69.78	75.62
Transportation, storage, comm.	106.9	110.1	109.3	81.14	80.39	76.93
Public utility operation	132.5	136.7	132.0	91.45	90.97	86.52
Trade	133.4	143.4	129.6	64.48	62.87	62.44
Finance, ins., real estate	154.8	155.0	151.3	68.81	68.75	67.60
Service*	137.1	137.3	131.6	52.22	51.45	49.63
Industrial Composite	115.2	118.1	113.7	75.05	72.41	72.34

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,  
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Industrial employment in the latter part of February was slightly lower than in the corresponding period in January. The composite index declined from 115.2 (1949=100) at the end of January to 114.5 in February, as compared with 113.0 a year ago. Seasonal influences were the main cause of variation in the month to month comparison.

Average weekly wages and salaries showed a further increase from January to February, advancing 38 cents over the month. The industrial composite figure for February was \$75.41 while that in February 1959 was \$73.11. The composite payroll index for February was 202.0, about the same as the January figure.



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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
February, 1960

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Feb. 1960	Jan. 1960	Feb. 1959	Feb. 1960	Jan. 1960	Feb. 1959
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	109.1	112.0	104.5	67.70	65.00	64.26
Prince Edward Island	109.1	105.4	101.2	55.14	57.49	55.70
Nova Scotia	93.9	92.2	87.1	63.14	62.73	60.27
New Brunswick	101.0	103.2	97.5	63.27	62.52	60.55
Quebec	112.9	113.7	111.2	72.64	72.31	70.21
Ontario	117.0	118.0	116.0	77.98	77.75	75.83
Manitoba	105.4	106.4	105.1	71.14	70.74	69.38
Saskatchewan	116.3	117.4	118.3	71.23	70.61	69.24
Alberta	146.3	147.3	145.0	77.77	77.32	76.71
British Columbia	111.0	109.6	109.5	82.69	82.04	79.02
Canada	114.5	115.2	113.0	75.41	75.03	73.11
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	81.0	87.7	70.1	73.52	69.42	70.80
Mining	122.2	122.6	118.8	94.23	92.56	93.21
Manufacturing	108.8	108.6	107.5	77.69	77.90	75.59
Durable goods	114.6	114.3	111.6	83.41	83.98	81.10
Non-durable goods	104.0	103.7	104.0	72.37	72.25	70.53
Construction	101.6	105.3	104.0	80.15	79.27	76.38
Transportation, storage, comm.	107.1	106.8	108.5	81.74	81.21	77.91
Public utility operation	132.1	132.7	132.5	91.29	91.42	87.10
Trade	131.5	133.4	129.0	65.01	64.48	62.98
Finance, ins., real estate	155.0	154.8	150.8	69.41	69.04	68.36
Service*	137.1	137.1	131.7	53.18	52.20	50.14
Industrial Composite	114.5	115.2	113.0	75.41	75.03	73.11

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,  
MARCH, 1960

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The industrial composite index number of employment for March was 114.2 (1949=100), down slightly from the February figure of 114.6. The index number for March 1959 was 113.7. Employment in forestry showed the usual decline from February to March, but there was little change in other industry divisions. A contra-seasonal decrease was recorded for the building and general engineering component of the construction industry.

The composite average of weekly wages and salaries for March was \$75.40, about the same as the figure for the previous month. The composite payroll index declined from 202.0 in February to 201.4 in March.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
March, 1960

(These general data are subject to revision before publication in the main monthly report Employment and Payrolls, which also includes detailed statistics).

Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Mar. 1960	Feb. 1960	Mar. 1959	Mar. 1960	Feb. 1960	Mar. 1959
Industrial Composite, Provinces						
				\$	\$	\$
Newfoundland	105.2	108.9	106.4	66.92	67.32	64.65
Prince Edward Island	114.6	109.0	104.4	52.98	55.17	54.88
Nova Scotia	92.9	93.8	87.9	63.00	63.14	59.75
New Brunswick	96.0	101.0	96.3	63.44	63.05	61.14
Quebec	112.2	113.0	110.9	72.84	72.54	69.50
Ontario	116.9	117.1	116.9	78.00	77.94	75.39
Manitoba	104.9	105.4	105.9	70.71	71.14	68.92
Saskatchewan	115.6	116.2	119.5	71.37	71.04	69.04
Alberta	145.8	146.4	145.9	77.37	77.76	75.27
British Columbia	112.8	111.2	112.2	82.12	82.64	78.70
Canada	114.2	114.6	113.7	75.40	75.35	72.60
Industrial Divisions, Canada						
				\$	\$	\$
Forestry (chiefly logging)	60.9	81.2	52.9	73.50	73.53	74.59
Mining	121.8	122.1	118.4	94.32	94.20	91.65
Manufacturing	108.9	108.9	108.4	78.06	77.68	75.22
Durable goods	115.0	114.6	113.3	83.78	83.38	80.73
Non-durable goods	103.7	104.0	104.2	72.70	72.37	70.11
Construction	101.7	101.9	107.1	80.55	80.13	73.11
Transportation, storage, comm.	107.4	107.1	109.7	80.40	81.67	77.64
Public utility operation	132.8	132.2	133.1	90.36	90.71	87.38
Trade	132.6	131.5	131.1	64.99	65.05	62.68
Finance, ins., real estate	154.7	155.0	151.0	69.88	69.41	69.04
Service*	137.9	137.6	132.6	52.68	52.62	50.01
Industrial Composite	114.2	114.6	113.7	75.40	75.35	72.60

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

APRIL, 1960

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During April, industrial employment rose slowly from the March seasonal low, with the composite index increasing to 114.8 (1949=100), a rise of 0.5 p.c. over the month. Unfavourable weather conditions and the late Easter slowed seasonal employment increases in some areas, and major layoffs in coal mining also tended to keep employment levels down. The March to April rise was the smallest recorded since 1952.

The composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries for April was \$75.98, up 61 cents from the March average. Industrial payrolls rose by 1.3 p.c. over the month, with the composite index increasing from 201.5 in March to 204.1 in April.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
April, 1960

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Apr. 1960	Mar. 1960	Apr. 1959	Apr. 1960	Mar. 1960	Apr. 1959
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
				\$	\$	\$
Newfoundland	107.5	105.4	107.2	68.02	66.90	65.13
Prince Edward Island	114.9	114.4	108.7	56.95	52.75	55.63
Nova Scotia	87.4	92.8	94.0	62.74	62.97	59.88
New Brunswick	90.0	96.3	91.2	63.05	63.51	60.05
Quebec	113.5	112.3	113.7	73.35	72.77	70.55
Ontario	117.5	116.9	118.5	78.67	77.99	75.98
Manitoba	106.4	105.0	107.6	71.05	70.78	69.38
Saskatchewan	119.8	115.6	124.0	71.34	71.39	69.22
Alberta	145.7	146.0	146.2	76.96	77.42	75.00
British Columbia	114.6	113.0	114.5	83.24	82.15	80.02
Canada	114.8	114.2	115.7	75.98	75.37	73.26
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	41.5	60.9	42.6	83.75	73.41	78.20
Mining	113.5	121.8	120.6	94.29	94.35	90.70
Manufacturing	108.8	109.0	109.5	78.48	78.04	75.69
Durable goods	114.6	115.0	114.9	84.35	83.74	81.32
Non-durable goods	103.9	103.8	104.8	72.98	72.69	70.41
Construction	111.0	102.1	120.1	79.83	80.37	75.45
Transportation, storage, comm.	109.8	107.4	112.3	82.50	80.40	78.27
Public utility operation	133.7	132.8	135.8	91.06	90.38	87.56
Trade	134.7	132.6	131.5	65.09	64.94	63.20
Finance, ins., real estate	154.8	154.7	151.5	70.58	69.87	69.38
Service*	140.2	138.1	134.5	53.46	52.73	50.34
Industrial Composite	114.8	114.2	115.7	75.98	75.37	73.26

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

May, 1960

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Industrial employment increased seasonally by 3.5 p.c. between April and May. The composite index number for May reached 118.8 (1949 = 100). Employment in construction increased somewhat more than seasonally, but remained below the levels for May in the last four years. The return of some of the workers laid off by coal mines in Nova Scotia last month contributed to the rise in the index for mining. The situation in most other industry divisions remained dull.

Average weekly wages and salaries declined from \$75.98 in April to \$75.39 in May. Temporary reductions in weekly pay for workers on unpaid holiday on Victoria Day or Ascension Day appeared to account for much of the decline. The composite payroll index for May was 209.6, up 2.6 p.c. from the April figure.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
May, 1960

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	<u>May</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>May</u> <u>1959</u>	<u>May</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>May</u> <u>1959</u>
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
				\$	\$	\$
Newfoundland	121.5	106.5	117.5	66.40	67.89	63.58
Prince Edward Island	131.4	114.9	127.4	55.88	56.93	55.59
Nova Scotia	97.3	87.4	96.0	62.69	62.71	60.55
New Brunswick	97.7	90.0	98.0	61.37	63.20	59.73
Quebec	117.8	113.6	117.6	72.41	73.33	70.69
Ontario	119.8	117.6	121.4	78.42	78.68	76.73
Manitoba	111.4	106.7	111.8	71.23	71.09	70.60
Saskatchewan	128.5	120.0	133.2	71.34	71.41	69.77
Alberta	153.9	145.7	154.7	76.58	76.86	75.94
British Columbia	116.1	113.9	117.9	82.78	83.36	81.29
Canada	118.8	114.8	119.6	75.39	75.98	73.82
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	60.1	41.0	61.9	72.20	84.95	70.55
Mining	118.4	113.8	123.3	93.94	94.54	89.37
Manufacturing	110.6	108.9	111.7	77.86	78.40	76.20
Durable goods	116.0	114.6	117.8	83.47	84.27	81.72
Non-durable goods	105.9	104.1	106.4	72.67	72.94	71.01
Construction	129.9	111.0	133.0	77.59	79.86	77.96
Transportation, storage, comm.	112.4	109.8	116.0	82.20	82.59	79.69
Public utility operation	138.7	133.7	139.8	90.35	91.06	87.25
Trade	135.5	134.3	133.5	65.39	65.14	63.46
Finance, ins., real estate	155.3	154.8	151.8	70.77	70.61	69.33
Service*	143.3	140.1	138.7	52.89	53.58	50.23
Industrial Composite	118.8	114.8	119.6	75.39	75.98	73.82

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

June, 1960

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Industrial employment increased by 3.3 p.c. from May to June, with the composite index rising to 122.8 (1949 = 100) in the latter month. The June 1960 index was 0.6 p.c. below the figure for June 1959.

As usual at the time of year, employment rose in every industry division. The largest percentage increases were in forestry (45 p.c.) and construction (12 p.c.), and these accounted for over half the rise in the composite. The increases in both industries were larger than those recorded for most previous post-war years. Changing seasonal patterns were a factor in the size of the increase in forestry, and temporary influences were responsible for part of the rise in construction. In most other industries, the increases appeared to be slightly more than seasonal, but the situation in durable goods manufacturing continued to weaken.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose from \$75.36 in May to \$75.67 in June, an increase of 31 cents. The figure a year earlier was \$73.71. The composite index of payrolls for June was 217.7 up 3.7 p.c. from the figure for May.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
June, 1960

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	June 1960	May 1960	June 1959	June 1960	May 1960	June 1959
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
				\$	\$	\$
Newfoundland	144.4	121.8	136.3	67.79	66.42	64.19
Prince Edward Island	139.6	131.8	137.4	54.40	55.65	53.60
Nova Scotia	103.4	97.4	97.9	62.94	62.21	59.62
New Brunswick	107.2	99.1	104.7	62.13	61.18	59.33
Quebec	123.6	117.8	121.7	72.19	72.39	70.38
Ontario	121.7	119.9	124.3	78.85	78.37	76.97
Manitoba	114.4	111.3	115.8	72.42	71.21	71.21
Saskatchewan	133.0	128.7	138.4	71.71	71.41	70.21
Alberta	159.9	154.0	161.6	77.58	76.76	75.36
British Columbia	118.7	116.4	121.8	83.73	82.36	80.49
Canada	122.8	118.9	123.5	75.67	75.36	73.71
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	88.8	61.1	87.2	74.01	71.96	70.96
Mining	122.0	118.0	126.4	94.09	93.86	89.64
Manufacturing	112.1	110.6	114.2	78.16	77.80	75.96
Durable goods	116.8	116.1	120.3	83.62	83.47	81.70
Non-durable goods	108.2	106.0	109.1	73.20	72.57	70.60
Construction	146.2	130.4	144.0	77.96	77.58	76.71
Transportation, storage, comm.	115.0	112.5	118.3	82.35	82.14	80.18
Public utility operation	143.3	138.7	142.7	90.00	90.35	87.29
Trade	136.8	135.6	134.7	65.69	65.39	63.75
Finance, ins., real estate	155.8	155.2	152.4	70.96	70.79	69.40
Service*	148.8	143.8	144.8	52.49	52.96	49.63
Industrial Composite	122.8	118.9	123.5	75.67	75.36	73.71

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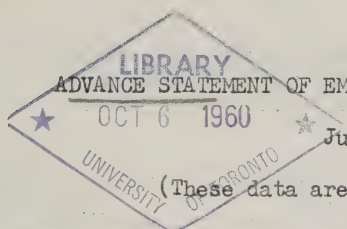
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

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July, 1960

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The industrial composite index number of employment declined from 123.0 in June to 121.9 in July, a reduction of 0.9 p.c. Through most of the post-war period, employment has risen from June to July. However, a reduction was recorded between the two months in 1959, as in 1960. In both these years, the declines were the result of unusual circumstances. The reduction in 1959 was caused by industrial disputes. In 1960, the June to July decrease in part reflected early shut-downs in automobile plants, arising from decisions to close off production preparatory to the introduction of new models earlier in the year than usual. The second major factor was an unusual decline in the numbers of people employed on highway construction work. Employment moved seasonally in most industries other than those affected by these special factors, although conditions appeared to weaken slightly in some instances.

The composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries for July was \$76.31, up 57 cents from the June level. The decline in numbers of casual workers employed in highways, bridges and streets construction was a factor in this rise. The composite payroll index for July was 217.8, down slightly from the figure of 218.2 recorded for June.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
July, 1960

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	July	June	July	July	June	July
	<u>1960</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1959</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1960</u>	<u>1959</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	149.7	145.2	143.9	68.94	67.88	64.44
Prince Edward Island	143.9	139.6	146.5	56.28	54.40	52.66
Nova Scotia	99.5	103.5	101.5	63.59	62.93	60.50
New Brunswick	105.9	107.3	106.8	63.49	62.08	61.11
Quebec	122.0	123.7	122.7	73.46	72.28	70.65
Ontario	119.8	121.9	123.8	78.96	78.86	77.02
Manitoba	116.0	114.5	117.9	72.96	72.71	71.08
Saskatchewan	134.7	133.3	141.4	73.07	71.69	70.67
Alberta	163.8	160.2	164.5	79.23	77.75	75.72
British Columbia	120.3	119.2	110.2	83.54	83.82	80.07
Canada	121.9	123.0	123.1	76.31	75.74	73.76
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	93.9	89.1	78.1	73.41	74.20	69.78
Mining	123.3	122.1	127.8	92.54	94.13	90.08
Manufacturing	110.2	112.2	112.2	78.19	78.23	75.56
Durable goods	112.0	116.9	115.0	83.67	83.79	81.56
Non-durable goods	108.8	108.3	109.8	73.44	73.18	70.23
Construction	144.0	147.3	150.7	83.14	78.25	78.47
Transportation, storage, comm.	115.4	114.9	119.7	83.40	82.40	80.47
Public utility operation	144.4	143.3	145.0	91.67	89.92	86.93
Trade	135.2	137.0	133.8	65.76	65.70	63.83
Finance, ins., real estate	156.0	155.8	152.8	70.96	70.96	69.47
Service*	150.2	149.5	147.2	52.10	52.50	49.29
Industrial Composite	121.9	123.0	123.1	76.31	75.74	73.76

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

August, 1960

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Industrial employment rose slightly from July to August, mainly owing to seasonal factors. The composite index for August was 122.9 (1949 = 100), up 0.8 p.c. from the July figure. Employment in most industry divisions increased or was virtually unchanged, but there was a small decline in durable goods manufacturing.

Within durable goods manufacturing, employment in transportation equipment increased from July to August. In most previous years considerable declines occurred between the two months owing to layoffs in automobile plants preparatory to production of new-model cars. In 1960, the layoffs came earlier in the year than usual, and some production workers had already been recalled by the time of the August survey period. Employment declined in the remainder of the durables sector of manufacturing, although seasonal influences usually bring increases. Industrial disputes in iron and steel products accounted for part of this decline.

Average weekly wages and salaries decreased from \$76.27 in July to \$75.93 in August, a reduction of 34 cents. Industries showing declines of some magnitude included non-durable goods manufacturing, public utility operation and transportation, storage and communication. The industrial composite payroll index for August was 218.6, up 0.4 p.c. from the figure for July.



Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
Aug., 1960

(These general data are subject to revision before publication in the main monthly report Employment and Payrolls, which also includes detailed statistics).

Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Aug. 1960	July 1960	Aug. 1959	Aug. 1960	July 1960	Aug. 1959
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	148.0	145.9	143.6	67.10	68.11	63.41
Prince Edward Island	148.1	147.1	150.8	53.33	55.31	53.70
Nova Scotia	98.7	99.6	101.0	62.46	63.55	60.20
New Brunswick	109.0	106.1	106.4	62.83	63.50	60.75
Quebec	123.5	122.1	124.0	73.29	73.48	70.38
Ontario	121.2	119.8	124.7	78.87	78.94	76.52
Manitoba	116.7	115.9	119.0	72.38	72.83	71.50
Saskatchewan	135.1	134.4	140.0	72.82	73.04	70.94
Alberta	162.5	164.4	166.7	78.03	79.16	75.22
British Columbia	120.0	120.3	112.6	82.47	83.48	79.68
Canada	122.9	121.9	124.2	75.93	76.27	73.42
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	96.0	93.2	76.0	72.59	72.82	68.57
Mining	123.5	123.3	127.0	92.58	92.58	89.19
Manufacturing	111.6	110.2	113.5	77.68	78.19	75.27
Durable goods	111.6	111.9	114.1	84.22	83.72	81.48
Non-durable goods	111.5	108.8	112.9	72.18	73.42	69.98
Construction	145.9	144.5	154.4	83.20	83.17	77.92
Transportation, storage, comm.	115.5	115.4	119.2	82.67	83.40	80.51
Public utility operation	144.3	144.4	145.6	90.55	91.69	87.38
Trade	136.0	135.3	135.2	65.39	65.66	63.34
Finance, ins., real estate	156.5	156.1	155.7	71.10	70.93	68.78
Service*	150.6	150.7	147.5	52.32	52.15	49.36
Industrial Composite	122.9	121.9	124.2	75.93	76.27	73.42

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

SEPTEMBER, 1960

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Industrial employment, which normally advances to a seasonal peak between August and September, showed virtually no change between the two months in 1960. Increases in forestry, trade and finance, insurance and real estate balanced declines in other non-manufacturing industries, with seasonal influences the main factor in the changes recorded. However, the usual small rise in manufacturing did not occur, mainly owing to persistent weakness in durable goods industries. Lay-offs in agricultural implement plants were among the more noticeable of the factors affecting the month-to-month change in manufacturing employment.

The composite employment index number for September 1960 was 2.1 p.c. lower than that for September 1959, although 0.9 p.c. above that for September 1958. Industries in which employment declined from 1959 to 1960 included mining, manufacturing, construction, trade, public utility operation and transportation, storage and communication.

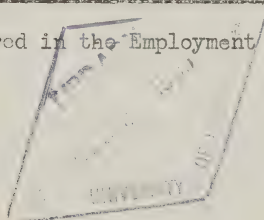
Average weekly wages and salaries as usual increased markedly from August to September. The composite figure of weekly earnings rose from \$75.94 to \$76.57 between the two months, an increase of 63 cents. Increases were recorded for all provinces and for every industry division except transportation, storage and communication. In September 1960, average weekly earnings were \$2.27 higher than in September 1959.

Industrial payrolls rose by 0.7 p.c. from August to September, with the composite payroll index reaching 220.6 in the latter month. The September 1960 index exceeded the figure for September 1959 by 1.1 p.c.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
Sept., 1960

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	<u>Sept.</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Aug.</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Sept.</u> <u>1959</u>	<u>Sept.</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Aug.</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Sept.</u> <u>1959</u>
	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	151.0	149.2	144.8	69.36	67.48	63.45
Prince Edward Island	143.8	148.7	145.5	53.72	53.06	55.39
Nova Scotia	97.9	98.9	99.9	63.25	62.43	61.28
New Brunswick	108.0	109.2	106.2	62.53	62.44	61.10
Quebec	124.1	123.7	124.9	73.82	73.28	71.19
Ontario	121.8	121.4	125.6	79.54	78.93	77.50
Manitoba	115.8	116.9	118.0	72.81	72.33	71.24
Saskatchewan	134.2	135.4	137.9	73.42	72.80	71.50
Alberta	159.2	162.6	165.0	78.16	78.03	76.07
British Columbia	118.9	119.8	122.9	83.66	82.48	80.54
Canada	123.0	123.1	125.6	76.57	75.94	74.30
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	101.9	95.2	97.2	76.06	72.57	71.88
Mining	122.7	123.5	125.8	93.41	92.62	91.27
Manufacturing	111.5	111.7	115.3	78.36	77.62	76.43
Durable goods	111.5	111.6	119.4	85.08	84.18	82.97
Non-durable goods	111.5	111.7	111.8	72.73	72.12	70.54
Construction	144.4	146.4	151.7	84.41	83.36	79.79
Transportation, storage, comm.	114.5	115.6	118.0	82.67	82.67	81.02
Public utility operation	140.6	144.3	142.4	92.29	90.54	88.96
Trade	138.3	136.4	138.7	65.61	65.53	63.05
Finance, ins., real estate	159.3	156.7	155.5	71.84	71.11	68.97
Service*	147.1	151.0	144.6	53.16	52.32	50.42
Industrial Composite	123.0	123.1	125.6	76.57	75.94	74.30

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

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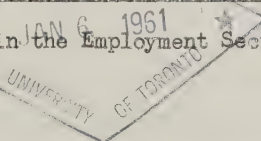
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Industrial employment declined in October from the seasonal peak reached in the summer months. The composite index number for the latter part of October was 121.4, down 1.4 p.c. from the figure for September, and 2.4 p.c. from that for October 1959. As usual, the October index numbers for forestry and trade were higher than the September figures, while month-to-month reductions were recorded for the remaining industry divisions. Employment declined more than seasonally in coal and iron mining, electrical apparatus and transportation equipment manufacturing, construction and railways.

The composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries rose slightly from September to October, reaching \$76.66 in the latter month. The increase over the year amounted to about \$2. The composite payroll index for October was 218.2 down 1.2 p.c. from the figure for September but up 0.4 p.c. from that for October 1959.

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# Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries Oct., 1960

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<u>Province or Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes (1949=100)</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	<u>Oct. 1960</u>	<u>Sept. 1960</u>	<u>Oct. 1959</u>	<u>Oct. 1960</u> \$	<u>Sept. 1960</u> \$	<u>Oct. 1959</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	148.1	151.4	141.5	70.24	69.41	64.34
Prince Edward Island	138.5	144.8	139.1	54.77	53.73	55.20
Nova Scotia	95.6	97.9	100.2	63.28	63.33	61.69
New Brunswick	106.7	108.1	104.3	62.45	62.67	60.85
Quebec	123.4	124.2	124.1	73.32	73.71	71.81
Ontario	120.5	121.8	125.0	79.78	79.58	77.47
Manitoba	114.4	115.9	116.4	72.49	72.76	71.06
Saskatchewan	131.2	134.0	135.2	73.92	73.42	71.54
Alberta	155.0	159.8	160.3	79.47	78.18	76.57
British Columbia	115.5	119.1	120.3	84.34	83.67	82.35
Canada	121.4	123.1	124.4	76.66	76.56	74.66
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	107.7	101.3	102.6	77.26	76.12	74.12
Mining	120.0	123.2	124.9	93.97	93.62	91.89
Manufacturing	109.6	111.6	113.9	78.95	78.37	77.07
Durable goods	110.4	111.6	119.1	85.24	85.09	83.41
Non-durable goods	108.9	111.7	109.6	73.61	72.75	71.25
Construction	139.1	144.4	146.5	83.07	84.30	79.20
Transportation, storage, comm.	112.5	114.5	116.1	82.88	82.67	81.69
Public utility operation	138.8	140.8	140.4	92.33	92.16	89.38
Trade	139.6	138.3	140.0	65.12	65.47	63.28
Finance, ins., real estate	159.4	159.5	155.4	71.70	71.84	68.30
Service*	143.5	147.6	141.5	53.98	53.29	51.32
Industrial Composite	121.4	123.1	124.4	76.66	76.56	74.66

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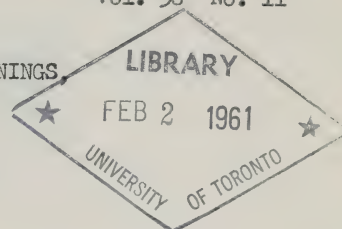
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

NOVEMBER, 1960

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Industrial employment declined seasonally from October to November. The index number for November was 119.8 (1949=100), down 1.4 p.c. from that for October. Month-to-month reductions were recorded for all provinces except Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, and for all industry divisions except trade and finance. Employment in trade as usual rose substantially as Christmas buying activity increased.

In forestry, employment dropped from October to November, although there has usually been a rise in the industry between the two months. On the other hand, employment declines in manufacturing were somewhat less than seasonal. Substantial increases in the tobacco and products industry resulting from the early start made on processing the 1960 crop moderated the downward movement in overall manufacturing employment.

The composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries decreased from \$76.60 in October to \$76.43 in November. Industrial payrolls declined by 1.6 p.c. from October to November, with the composite payroll index decreasing to 214.7 in the latter month.

The November 1960 industrial composite employment index was 1.6 p.c. below the figure for November 1959. Over the year, average weekly wages and salaries increased by \$2.20, or 3.0 p.c. and the composite payroll index rose by 1.5 p.c.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
Nov., 1960

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	Nov. <u>1960</u>	Oct. <u>1960</u>	Nov. <u>1959</u>	Nov. <u>1960</u> \$	Oct. <u>1960</u> \$	Nov. <u>1959</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	140.3	148.4	133.7	69.24	70.44	63.65
Prince Edward Island	133.0	138.5	132.7	55.62	54.77	55.55
Nova Scotia	95.6	95.6	99.7	62.96	63.24	60.84
New Brunswick	108.7	106.5	104.8	62.26	62.33	60.44
Quebec	121.5	123.5	122.4	73.91	73.29	71.92
Ontario	119.9	120.6	122.3	79.35	79.69	76.78
Manitoba	111.8	114.3	113.2	71.88	72.48	70.59
Saskatchewan	127.0	131.3	129.4	72.98	73.93	70.42
Alberta	150.8	155.0	155.1	78.20	79.50	76.43
British Columbia	111.9	115.3	117.3	83.68	84.23	81.70
Canada	119.8	121.5	121.8	76.43	76.60	74.23
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	100.9	107.9	102.7	76.40	77.19	73.56
Mining	118.2	120.0	123.7	94.48	93.90	93.24
Manufacturing	108.2	109.6	110.6	79.14	78.95	76.86
Durable goods	109.2	110.5	114.4	85.48	85.25	82.79
Non-durable goods	107.5	108.9	107.4	73.73	73.60	71.53
Construction	129.8	139.1	133.5	81.78	82.86	78.24
Transportation, storage, comm.	110.4	112.6	114.6	82.92	82.87	81.10
Public utility operation	137.2	138.8	138.4	93.29	92.83	90.25
Trade	142.9	139.6	143.1	64.65	65.01	62.60
Finance, ins., real estate	159.5	159.4	155.3	71.76	71.60	68.41
Service*	141.3	143.7	139.7	54.15	53.99	51.44
Industrial Composite	119.8	121.5	121.8	76.43	76.60	74.23

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DECEMBER, 1960

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The industrial composite index number of employment for December was 115.0 (1949=100), down 3.9 per cent from the figure for November, and 2.6 p.c. from that for December 1959. Month-to-month reductions were recorded for all provinces and for all industry divisions except trade. Seasonal influences were the main factor in the employment declines recorded, although reductions in a number of industries were somewhat greater than seasonal.

Average weekly wages and salaries as usual declined considerably between the survey periods in November and December. The composite figure for the latter month was \$75.18, down \$1.25 from the November level. Many workers were laid off part-way through the pay periods for which data were reported, or were on unpaid leave for some days during the holiday season. The composite payroll index for December was 202.7, down 5.5 p.c. from November, but up 1.4 p.c. from December 1959.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
Dec., 1960

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Province or Industrial Division	Employment Indexes (1949=100)			Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Dec. 1960	Nov. 1960	Dec. 1959	Dec. 1960 \$	Nov. 1960 \$	Dec. 1959 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	122.3	139.5	116.6	67.96	69.45	62.31
Prince Edward Island	117.0	133.0	120.2	54.56	55.62	54.52
Nova Scotia	90.0	96.7	97.0	60.15	62.44	58.22
New Brunswick	105.4	108.1	105.6	62.83	62.65	60.20
Quebec	115.2	121.2	116.5	72.51	73.95	69.76
Ontario	116.4	119.8	120.0	73.21	79.34	75.07
Manitoba	107.7	111.7	109.6	70.80	71.84	68.97
Saskatchewan	119.0	126.7	123.9	72.20	73.02	70.62
Alberta	147.2	150.9	151.2	77.10	78.17	74.51
British Columbia	107.8	111.9	113.9	81.49	83.73	79.30
Canada	115.0	119.7	118.1	75.18	76.43	72.41
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.8	100.5	97.5	74.56	76.98	70.58
Mining	113.1	118.2	121.8	94.96	94.57	89.07
Manufacturing	104.2	108.1	108.4	77.86	79.16	75.13
Durable goods	105.8	108.9	114.0	83.88	85.50	80.58
Non-durable goods	102.9	107.4	103.7	72.66	73.76	70.08
Construction	108.9	129.9	113.3	74.02	81.46	69.78
Transportation, storage, comm.	106.3	110.3	110.1	82.95	82.92	80.42
Public utility operation	134.7	137.2	136.7	93.92	93.29	90.97
Trade	144.0	142.9	143.4	65.26	64.67	62.87
Finance, ins., real estate	159.3	159.5	155.0	72.02	71.76	68.75
Service*	138.7	141.2	137.3	54.20	54.34	51.45
Industrial Composite	115.0	119.7	118.1	75.18	76.43	72.41

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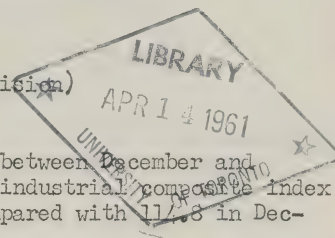
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

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Industrial employment declined by 2.7 p.c. between December and January, mainly owing to seasonal influences. The industrial composite index number was 111.7 (1949=100) in January 1961, as compared with 117.8 in December 1960 and 115.1 in January 1960.

About half the December to January employment decline in surveyed establishments occurred in trade. Employment in construction, forestry and water transportation also showed substantial reductions. There were small increases in mining and manufacturing. Seasonal influences were the main factor in most of the changes. The decline in construction was larger than usual, and led to a more-than-seasonal decrease in the industrial composite index.

Comparisons between employment indexes for January 1961 and those for January 1960 indicate a 3.0 p.c. decline in industrial employment over the year. Index numbers for most industry divisions covered by the monthly survey were down, but there was a 2.9 p.c. rise in finance, insurance and real estate, and the declines in non-durable goods manufacturing, public utility operation, trade and service were small. Reductions in the remaining industries amounted to 10.8 p.c. in forestry, 7.4 p.c. in mining, 7.3 p.c. in durable goods manufacturing, 5.7 p.c. in construction, and 3.5 p.c. in transportation, storage and communication. Provincial employment indexes declined over the year, with the exception of that for Newfoundland, which rose by 6.4 p.c.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose by 2.7 p.c. between January 1960 and January 1961. This was the smallest January to January rise recorded in the past decade. However, the January 1961 figure of \$77.14 was the highest yet recorded. The composite payroll index for January 1961 was 201.9, down slightly from the index numbers for December 1960 and January 1960. The year-to-year decline in the payroll index was the first recorded since that for the twelve months preceding October 1958.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
Jan., 1961

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<u>Province or Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes (1949=100)</u>			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	<u>Jan. 1961</u>	<u>Dec. 1960</u>	<u>Jan. 1960</u>	<u>Jan. 1961</u>	<u>Dec. 1960</u>	<u>Jan. 1960</u>
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	119.2	122.0	112.0	70.29	67.67	65.46
Prince Edward Island	104.9	114.5	105.4	58.12	55.12	57.49
Nova Scotia	87.6	90.0	92.2	63.63	60.16	62.73
New Brunswick	99.1	105.4	103.2	63.85	62.81	62.52
Quebec	111.1	115.0	113.7	74.22	72.62	72.31
Ontario	113.7	116.3	117.7	80.23	78.22	77.98
Manitoba	104.8	107.9	106.4	72.27	70.66	70.74
Saskatchewan	111.5	119.0	117.4	72.49	72.02	70.61
Alberta	143.6	147.1	147.3	78.71	77.04	77.32
British Columbia	105.2	107.1	109.7	83.80	81.40	82.01
Canada	111.7	114.8	115.1	77.14	75.18	75.13
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	78.2	89.4	87.7	73.18	74.74	69.68
Mining	113.5	113.1	122.6	96.36	94.96	92.56
Manufacturing	104.4	104.1	108.6	79.64	77.92	77.90
Durable goods	106.0	105.7	114.3	85.42	84.03	83.98
Non-durable goods	103.1	102.7	103.7	74.65	72.65	72.25
Construction	98.0	107.8	103.9	82.00	73.71	80.49
Transportation, storage, comm.	103.1	106.3	106.8	83.81	82.95	81.21
Public utility operation	131.9	134.7	132.7	95.02	93.92	91.42
Trade	133.3	144.0	133.4	66.63	65.24	64.48
Finance, ins., real estate	159.3	159.3	154.8	72.30	72.02	69.04
Service*	136.7	138.6	137.1	54.85	54.26	52.20
Industrial Composite	111.7	114.8	115.1	77.14	75.18	75.13

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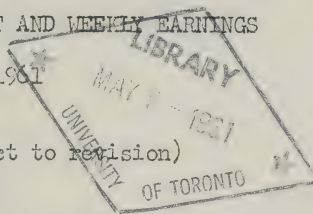
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

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The industrial composite index number of employment for February was 111.0 (1949=100), down 0.5 p.c. from the figure for January. Seasonal influences were the main factor in the small decrease. Declines occurred in forestry, construction, trade and transportation, storage and communication. Over the year, the industrial composite index number was down 3.1 p.c. Employment was higher in February 1961 than in February 1960 in finance, insurance and real estate and little changed in non-durable goods manufacturing, public utility operation, trade and service.

Average weekly wages and salaries as usual rose substantially from January to February. The industrial composite figure for February was \$77.79, up 79 cents over the month. Seasonal influences, which normally exert their maximum upward effect in weekly earnings in February, were a factor in the rise. Average weekly wages and salaries increased \$1 or more over the month in forestry, construction, public utility operation and transportation, storage and communication.

The composite index number of payrolls for February was 202.4, up 0.5 p.c. from the figure for January, and 0.2 p.c. from that for February 1960.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
Feb., 1961

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	Feb. 1961	Jan. 1961	Feb. 1960	Feb. 1961 \$	Jan. 1961 \$	Feb. 1960 \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	114.6	117.9	108.9	72.23	71.08	67.82
Prince Edward Island	110.5	105.4	109.0	56.93	57.94	55.17
Nova Scotia	86.1	87.6	93.8	64.24	63.62	63.14
New Brunswick	95.4	99.2	101.0	64.54	63.43	63.05
Quebec	110.6	111.0	113.0	75.07	74.27	72.54
Ontario	113.3	113.7	117.1	80.53	79.98	77.94
Manitoba	102.9	104.7	105.4	73.12	72.24	71.14
Saskatchewan	110.3	111.5	116.2	73.00	72.52	71.04
Alberta	142.6	143.7	146.4	79.61	78.67	77.76
British Columbia	105.5	105.2	111.2	85.36	83.83	82.64
Canada	111.0	111.6	114.6	77.79	77.00	75.35
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	66.6	76.3	81.2	78.72	74.25	73.53
Mining	114.0	113.3	122.1	96.18	96.27	94.20
Manufacturing	104.6	104.3	108.9	80.20	79.65	77.68
Durable goods	106.2	105.9	114.6	86.01	85.44	83.38
Non-durable goods	103.2	103.1	104.0	75.17	74.66	72.38
Construction	96.7	98.1	101.9	84.03	81.96	80.13
Transportation, storage, comm.	102.4	103.0	107.1	84.36	82.70	81.67
Public utility operation	132.0	131.9	132.2	96.34	94.59	90.71
Trade	131.3	133.2	131.5	66.83	66.58	65.05
Finance, ins., real estate	159.8	159.6	155.0	72.42	72.29	69.41
Service*	137.9	137.2	137.6	54.82	54.84	52.62
Industrial Composite	111.0	111.6	114.6	77.79	77.00	75.35

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

MARCH, 1961

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The industrial composite index number of employment for March was 110.9 (1949=100), virtually unchanged from the figure for February. A large decline in forestry, partly occasioned by seasonal factors, was almost balanced by seasonal increases in other industries, particularly trade, manufacturing and transportation, storage and communication.

Employment in forestry declined by more than one-third between February and March. Although much of the decrease was attributable to normal seasonal influences, and unusually poor weather conditions may also have been a factor, the figures confirm previous indications that the employment situation in the industry deteriorated during the 1960-1961 season. The March index number was 42.5, the lowest figure for the month in the post-war period.

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries for March was \$77.66, down 14 cents from February. A decline of \$2 in construction associated with a short work week, due to observance of Good Friday in the last week of the month was the main factor in the decrease. The composite payroll index declined from 202.5 in February to 201.9 in March.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
March, 1961

(These general data are subject to revision before publication in the main monthly report Employment and Payrolls, which also includes detailed statistics.)

Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	Mar. <u>1961</u>	Feb. <u>1961</u>	Mar. <u>1960</u>	Mar. <u>1961</u> \$	Feb. <u>1961</u> \$	Mar. <u>1960</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	106.8	114.3	105.4	70.25	72.10	66.90
Prince Edward Island	103.9	110.2	114.4	59.27	56.36	52.75
Nova Scotia	84.1	86.1	92.3	62.25	64.07	62.97
New Brunswick	96.0	95.8	96.3	64.67	64.65	63.51
Quebec	109.8	110.6	112.3	75.16	75.06	72.77
Ontario	113.6	113.3	116.9	80.46	80.53	77.99
Manitoba	103.1	102.9	105.0	72.72	73.09	70.73
Saskatchewan	111.8	110.3	115.6	73.06	73.00	71.39
Alberta	142.8	142.9	146.0	79.15	79.61	77.42
British Columbia	107.2	105.6	113.0	84.98	85.30	81.96
Canada	110.9	111.0	114.2	77.66	77.80	75.37
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	42.5	66.1	60.9	79.71	78.37	73.41
Mining	112.9	114.0	121.3	95.87	96.30	94.35
Manufacturing	104.9	104.6	109.0	80.35	80.24	78.04
Durable goods	106.9	106.3	115.0	86.16	86.10	83.74
Non-durable goods	103.3	103.2	103.8	75.31	75.19	72.69
Construction	97.4	96.9	102.1	81.96	83.96	80.40
Transportation, storage, comm.	103.6	102.5	107.4	84.28	84.06	80.40
Public utility operation	132.2	132.0	132.8	95.33	96.15	90.38
Trade	133.4	131.4	132.6	66.38	66.37	64.94
Finance, ins., real estate	159.8	159.7	154.7	73.94	72.39	69.87
Services*	133.5	137.5	138.1	55.14	55.10	52.73
Industrial Composite	110.9	111.0	114.2	77.66	77.80	75.37

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

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Industrial employment increased by 1.2 p.c. from March to April, with the composite index of employment rising to 112.4 (1949=100) in the latter month. Most of the gain was in construction, manufacturing and transportation, storage and communication, where there are usually marked seasonal increases between March and April. The gains in these three industrial divisions, although substantial, were less than seasonal. Employment in forestry dropped less than seasonally, but the April index number for the industry was the lowest recorded in the post-war period. Seasonally adjusted, the composite employment index declined from 116.1 in March to 115.8 in April, mainly owing to a smaller-than-seasonal gain in construction.

The composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries increased from \$77.64 in March to \$78.19 in April, a rise of 55 cents. The composite payroll index for April 1961 was 206.0, up 1.8 p.c. from the figure for March 1961 and 0.9 p.c. from that for April 1960.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
April, 1961

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>Mar.</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>Mar.</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1960</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	107.4	106.7	106.5	70.63	70.23	67.89
Prince Edward Island	111.2	108.9	114.9	59.33	58.98	56.93
Nova Scotia	86.6	84.4	87.4	64.20	62.26	62.71
New Brunswick	88.7	95.9	90.0	64.47	64.64	63.20
Quebec	112.1	110.0	113.6	75.68	75.16	73.33
Ontario	114.9	113.7	117.6	80.83	80.45	78.68
Manitoba	104.9	103.4	106.7	72.87	72.59	71.09
Saskatchewan	116.7	112.9	120.0	73.60	73.29	71.41
Alberta	143.7	143.2	145.7	79.44	79.11	76.86
British Columbia	108.4	107.5	113.9	86.26	84.83	83.36
Canada	112.4	111.1	114.8	78.19	77.64	75.98
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	34.4	41.8	41.0	87.57	79.24	84.95
Mining	111.5	113.0	113.4	95.11	95.88	94.22
Manufacturing	105.4	104.9	108.9	80.96	80.36	78.40
Durable goods	107.5	107.0	114.6	86.98	86.18	84.27
Non-durable goods	103.6	103.2	104.1	75.72	75.30	72.94
Construction	106.3	98.0	111.0	82.81	82.03	79.86
Transportation, storage, comm.	106.5	103.7	109.8	84.11	84.25	82.59
Public utility operation	133.7	132.2	133.7	94.84	95.27	91.06
Trade	134.2	133.8	134.3	67.16	66.44	65.14
Finance, ins., real estate	161.1	160.1	154.8	74.20	73.86	70.61
Service*	140.8	138.9	140.1	55.62	55.04	53.58
Industrial Composite	112.4	111.1	114.8	78.19	77.64	75.98

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

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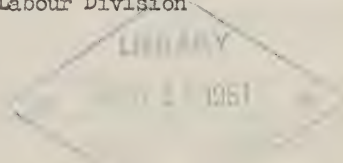
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Industrial employment increased by 3.8 p.c. from April to May, with the composite index of employment (1949=100) rising to 116.9 in the latter month. This was 1.7 p.c. lower than the May 1960 index. However, the month-to-month increase was larger than seasonal, and the seasonally adjusted composite index rose from 116.0 in April to 116.8 in May. Employment was at a higher level in all industrial divisions, with the increases in forestry, construction and manufacturing accounting for most of the overall gain. The increases were larger than seasonal in all industries except service and transportation, storage and communication.

Average weekly wages and salaries declined by 13 cents, from \$78.12 in April to \$77.99 in May. Temporary reductions in earnings of workers on unpaid leave during the Victoria Day week-end were a factor in the decline. The composite payroll index for May was 214.0 up 3.7 p.c. from the figure for April 1961, and 2 p.c. above that for May 1960.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
May, 1961

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Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	<u>May</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>May</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>May</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>Apr.</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>May</u> <u>1960</u>
				\$	\$	\$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	117.0	107.0	121.8	71.76	70.69	66.42
Prince Edward Island	131.9	111.2	131.3	56.39	59.29	55.65
Nova Scotia	96.0	86.4	97.4	64.03	63.97	62.21
New Brunswick	99.1	88.7	99.1	61.45	64.55	61.18
Quebec	116.4	112.3	117.8	75.22	75.60	72.39
Ontario	118.1	115.1	119.9	81.19	80.80	78.37
Manitoba	109.8	105.1	111.3	72.86	72.78	71.21
Saskatchewan	123.2	116.8	128.8	73.68	73.38	71.41
Alberta	153.4	143.9	154.0	79.73	79.41	76.76
British Columbia	112.0	108.8	116.4	85.33	86.03	82.86
Canada	116.9	112.6	118.9	77.99	78.12	75.36
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	53.3	34.0	61.1	73.60	87.60	71.96
Mining	117.3	111.8	118.0	95.80	95.16	93.86
Manufacturing	108.3	105.4	110.6	80.70	80.95	77.80
Durable goods	110.8	107.5	116.1	86.88	86.90	83.47
Non-durable goods	106.1	103.6	106.0	75.29	75.77	72.57
Construction	121.7	106.6	130.4	80.99	82.72	77.58
Transportation, storage, comm.	109.1	106.7	112.5	85.67	84.02	82.14
Public utility operation	138.4	133.4	138.7	94.27	94.95	90.35
Trade	136.0	134.2	135.6	67.32	67.15	65.39
Finance, ins., real estate	161.7	161.1	155.2	74.19	74.09	70.79
Service*	147.8	143.0	143.8	55.21	55.91	52.96
Industrial Composite	116.9	112.6	118.9	77.99	78.12	75.36

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

JUNE, 1961.

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The industrial composite index of employment was 121.0 in June, up 3.2 p.c. from the May figure of 117.2. This was 1.6 p.c. below the index of 123.0 recorded in June 1960. For the second successive month a larger than seasonal increase was recorded. As a result, the seasonally adjusted June index rose by 0.6 p.c. to 117.7. As is usual between May and June, employment was at a higher level in all industrial divisions, with the increases in forestry, construction and manufacturing accounting for most of the overall gain. The increases were larger than seasonal in all industrial divisions except the service industries surveyed.

Average weekly wages and salaries rose by 59 cents, to \$78.59 in June. The composite payroll index at 223.2 was up 4 p.c. from the May index of 214.6 and up 2.3 p.c. from the June 1960 index of 218.2.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
June, 1961

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publication in the main monthly report Employment and  
Payrolls, which also includes detailed statistics).

Province or <u>Industrial Division</u>	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages</u> <u>and Salaries</u>		
	<u>June</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>May</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>June</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>June</u> <u>1961</u> \$	<u>May</u> <u>1961</u> \$	<u>June</u> <u>1960</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	141.5	117.9	145.2	71.79	71.75	67.88
Prince Edward Island	145.8	131.9	139.6	57.59	56.37	54.40
Nova Scotia	97.3	96.3	103.5	64.64	64.66	62.93
New Brunswick	108.3	99.2	107.3	63.11	61.38	62.03
Quebec	121.2	116.6	123.7	75.60	75.26	72.23
Ontario	120.6	113.3	121.9	81.79	81.17	78.86
Manitoba	113.2	109.9	114.5	74.05	72.79	72.71
Saskatchewan	130.6	125.4	133.3	75.44	73.72	71.69
Alberta	161.2	153.7	160.2	81.04	79.54	77.75
British Columbia	115.5	112.3	119.2	85.32	85.35	83.82
Canada	121.0	117.2	123.0	73.59	73.00	75.74
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	76.4	53.3	89.1	74.21	73.63	74.20
Mining	119.6	117.4	122.1	95.47	95.32	94.13
Manufacturing	111.0	108.4	112.2	81.27	80.72	78.23
Durable goods	113.4	111.0	116.9	87.40	86.94	83.79
Non-durable goods	103.9	106.2	108.3	75.92	75.26	73.13
Construction	133.7	123.1	147.3	83.06	81.27	78.25
Transportation, storage, comm.	111.9	109.2	114.9	86.54	85.60	82.40
Public utility operation	142.0	138.5	143.3	93.31	94.20	89.92
Trade	137.4	136.0	137.0	67.69	67.34	65.70
Finance, ins., real estate	162.7	161.9	155.8	74.37	74.22	70.96
Service*	154.2	148.8	149.5	55.27	55.29	52.50
Industrial Composite	121.0	117.2	123.0	78.59	78.00	75.74

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

JULY, 1961.

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The preliminary industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 122.4 in July, up 0.9 p.c. from the June figure of 121.3. The July figure was 0.4 p.c. above the same month last year, this being the first year-to-year increase in several months. The seasonally adjusted composite index rose by 0.7 p.c. to 118.7, its highest level since June 1960. Most major industrial divisions showed higher employment levels in July, although trade and manufacturing were lower. In all cases where employment rose, the gains were seasonal in size or larger. Employment in trade and manufacturing which usually declines between June and July, fell less than seasonally.

Industrial composite average weekly wages and salaries declined from \$78.55 in June to \$78.32 in July. All major industrial divisions shared in the decline except construction and transportation, storage and communication. Nevertheless July was up \$2.04 from the July 1960 per capita figure of \$76.28.

The composite payroll index at 225.0, was up 0.6 p.c. from the June index of 223.6, and 3.3 p.c. above the July 1960 index of 217.8

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
July, 1961

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	<u>Employment Indexes</u> (1949=100)			<u>Average Weekly Wages and Salaries</u>		
	<u>July</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>June</u> <u>1961</u>	<u>July</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>July</u> <u>1961</u> \$	<u>June</u> <u>1961</u> \$	<u>July</u> <u>1960</u> \$
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces</u>						
Newfoundland	148.9	142.4	145.9	72.06	72.06	68.11
Prince Edward Island	144.0	146.5	147.1	56.60	57.35	55.31
Nova Scotia	102.2	97.6	99.6	64.45	64.56	63.55
New Brunswick	112.2	108.5	106.1	62.74	63.06	63.50
Quebec	122.8	121.3	122.1	75.39	75.45	73.48
Ontario	120.3	120.8	119.8	81.66	81.85	78.93
Manitoba	115.6	113.4	115.9	74.27	74.04	72.83
Saskatchewan	132.9	130.7	134.4	75.29	75.28	73.04
Alberta	163.8	161.9	164.4	80.71	80.93	79.16
British Columbia	118.5	115.9	120.3	84.82	85.80	83.48
Canada	122.4	121.3	121.9	78.32	78.55	76.28
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>						
Forestry (chiefly logging)	81.9	76.6	93.2	72.84	74.52	72.82
Mining	120.8	119.6	123.3	94.36	95.49	92.58
Manufacturing	110.7	111.2	110.2	80.38	81.17	78.18
Durable goods	111.4	113.7	111.9	86.68	87.42	83.72
Non-durable goods	110.1	109.0	108.8	75.02	75.70	73.39
Construction	142.1	134.3	144.5	84.24	83.26	83.17
Transportation, storage, comm.	114.5	112.0	115.4	87.32	86.58	83.40
Public utility operation	144.3	142.1	144.4	93.21	93.67	91.69
Trade	137.2	137.5	135.3	67.60	67.69	65.66
Finance, ins., real estate	163.4	163.0	156.1	74.14	74.39	70.93
Service*	156.8	155.2	150.7	54.76	55.23	52.15
Industrial Composite	122.4	121.3	121.9	78.32	78.55	76.28

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

AUGUST, 1961

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Industrial employment increased by 0.7 p.c. from July to August with the composite index of employment (1949=100) rising to 123.4. This figure was slightly above that for August of last year. Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite declined fractionally, following an advance in the last 3 months. A majority of the major industrial divisions recorded higher levels in August, but employment in transportation, storage and communication and in finance, insurance and real estate showed no change and in forestry and mining there were declines. The only advance of consequence in the seasonally adjusted industry series occurred in the service industries surveyed. There were small gains in durable goods manufacturing, trade and public utility operation, while transportation, storage and communication showed no change. Forestry, mining, construction, non-durable goods manufacturing and finance, insurance and real estate declined.

Gains in per capita earnings in Ontario and Alberta more than offset losses in the remaining provinces, so that the industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries showed little change at \$78.26 or 2 cents higher than the revised figure for July. The Canada average was \$2.32 above that for August 1960.

The composite payroll index, at 226.8, was up 0.8 p.c. from the July index of 225.1, and was 3.6 p.c. above the August 1960, index of 219.0.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
Aug., 1961 1/

Industrial Division or Province	Employment Indexes (1949=100)					Average Weekly Wages and Salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally Adjusted		(Dollars)		
	Aug. 1961	July 1961	Aug. 1960	Aug. 1961	July 1961	Aug. 1961	July 1961	Aug. 1960
<u>Industrial Divisions, Canada</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	76.9	82.9	95.2	72.9	75.5	73.13	73.26	72.57
Mining	115.4	121.0	123.9	112.7	117.9	95.85	94.28	92.62
Manufacturing	112.9	110.9	111.7	109.4	109.8	80.37	80.34	77.62
Durable goods	113.5	111.6	111.6	112.1	112.0	87.09	86.68	84.18
Non-durable goods	112.5	110.4	111.7	107.2	108.0	74.69	74.96	72.12
Construction	145.0	143.4	146.4	122.2	122.8	84.41	84.02	83.36
Transportation, stor., comm.	113.5	113.5	115.6	108.5	108.5	86.81	87.03	82.67
Public Utility operation	144.6	144.4	144.3	138.1	138.0	93.23	93.22	90.54
Trade	137.5	137.2	136.4	139.0	138.9	67.46	67.57	65.53
Finance, ins., real estate	163.5	163.5	156.7	161.9	164.0	74.09	74.14	71.11
Service*	160.9	157.1	151.0	152.1	148.5	54.91	54.96	52.32
Industrial Composite	123.4	122.5	123.1	118.5	118.9	78.26	78.24	75.94
<u>Industrial Composite, Provinces and Regions</u>								
Atlantic Region	110.0	114.4	111.9	Not yet available		64.48	65.18	63.28
Newfoundland	143.0	149.5	149.2			71.10	71.87	67.48
Prince Edward Island	147.0	145.0	148.7			56.11	56.18	53.06
Nova Scotia	94.7	102.4	98.9			63.46	64.44	62.43
New Brunswick	112.4	111.9	109.2			62.32	62.59	62.44
Quebec	124.3	122.8	123.7			75.11	75.24	73.28
Ontario	122.4	120.6	121.4			81.84	81.64	78.93
Prairie Region	137.4	136.8	137.4			77.57	77.28	74.92
Manitoba	115.9	115.6	116.9			74.04	74.15	72.33
Saskatchewan	132.5	132.7	135.4			74.58	75.50	72.80
Alberta	165.1	164.0	162.6			81.72	80.62	78.03
British Columbia	118.7	118.8	119.9			84.04	84.67	82.48
Canada	123.4	122.5	123.1	118.5	118.9	78.26	78.24	75.94

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

SEPTEMBER, 1961

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined contra-seasonally over the month. The September index stood at 123.2, down 0.6 p.c. from the revised August index but slightly above September 1960. Seasonally adjusted, the composite fell from 119.0 in August to 118.5 in September.

Most major industrial divisions showed lower employment indexes than their August levels. Only forestry, trade and non-durable goods manufacturing recorded increases. Construction and service declined by over 3 p.c. The losses in mining, durable goods manufacturing, public utility operation and transportation, storage and communication were between 1 p.c. and 2 p.c. The decrease in durables was contra-seasonal and resulted from lay-offs in the transportation equipment group due to industrial disputes in the United States.

The largest declines in the seasonally adjusted indexes occurred in durables, construction, trade and service, each of which fell by around 1 p.c. Mining and finance, insurance and real estate declined fractionally. Transportation, storage and communication was unchanged. Of the seasonally adjusted indexes, only forestry, non-durables and public utility operations recorded increases.

All regions recorded declines in employment with contra-seasonal losses occurring in Quebec, Ontario and the Pacific region. The decreases in the Atlantic and the Prairie regions were about usual for the time of year.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 46¢ over the month to \$78.73. This was \$2.18 above the same month last year. The payroll index, at 227.7, was unchanged from August, but up 3.2 p.c. from September 1960.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
September, 1961 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Sept. 1961	Aug. 1961	Sept. 1960	Sept. 1961	Aug. 1961	Sept. 1961	Aug. 1961	Sept. 1960
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	86.1	77.4	101.3	73.6	73.4	74.71	72.98	76.12
Mining .....	118.4	120.2	123.2	117.0	117.4	95.97	95.00	93.62
Manufacturing .....	112.7	113.1	111.6	109.4	109.6	81.14	80.42	78.37
Durable goods .....	112.5	113.7	111.6	110.9	112.4	88.20	87.18	85.09
Non-durable goods .....	112.9	112.6	111.7	108.1	107.3	75.24	74.70	72.75
Construction .....	140.1	145.5	144.3	121.1	122.6	84.81	84.57	84.27
Transportation, storage, communication .....	112.5	113.8	114.5	108.9	108.9	87.64	86.83	82.67
Public utility operation	142.2	144.6	140.8	138.9	138.1	94.70	93.22	92.16
Trade .....	139.7	137.7	138.3	137.9	139.2	67.17	67.48	65.47
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	163.2	163.8	159.5	161.9	162.2	74.06	74.15	71.84
Service(2) .....	155.3	162.3	147.6	151.1	153.4	55.25	54.84	53.29
Industrial composite	123.2	123.9	123.1	118.5	119.0	78.73	78.27	76.55
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	111.8	112.1	111.3	..	..	64.80	64.73	64.21
Newfoundland .....	147.1	142.8	151.4	..	..	69.91	71.11	69.41
Prince Edward Island ...	147.5	149.7	144.8	..	..	56.56	55.79	53.73
Nova Scotia .....	98.2	99.1	97.9	..	..	64.29	64.13	63.33
New Brunswick .....	111.1	112.5	108.1	..	..	63.00	62.35	62.67
Quebec .....	124.0	124.7	124.2	..	..	75.85	75.15	73.71
Ontario .....	122.2	122.7	121.8	..	..	81.46	81.82	79.58
Prairie region .....	136.3	137.9	135.7	..	..	78.24	77.51	75.25
Manitoba .....	115.2	116.2	115.9	..	..	74.46	73.99	72.76
Saskatchewan .....	131.9	132.8	134.0	..	..	75.14	74.50	73.42
Alberta .....	163.3	166.0	159.8	..	..	82.67	81.66	78.18
British Columbia .....	117.8	118.9	118.9	..	..	86.02	84.08	83.63
Canada .....	123.2	123.9	123.1	118.5	119.0	78.73	78.27	76.55

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

OCTOBER, 1961

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 122.8 in October, down 0.4 p.c. from September, but 1.1 p.c. higher than in October 1960. The seasonally adjusted index rose from 118.6 in September to 119.4 in October. This was its highest value since June 1960.

As is usual at the time of year, most industrial divisions reported lower employment than in September. Non-durable goods manufacturing, construction and service recorded the largest decreases, amounting in each case to 2 p.c. or more. The loss in non-durables, accounting for about half the decline in the composite, reflected tapering off in canning activities. Transportation, storage and communication declined by 1.6 p.c., and mining and public utility operation each fell by 0.9 p.c. Increases were recorded in forestry, durable goods manufacturing, trade and finance, insurance and real estate. The contra-seasonal increase in durables reflected rehiring of workers in the transportation equipment group in which employment had been reduced by shortages of parts caused by industrial disputes in the United States.

Seasonally adjusted indexes moved up in all major industry divisions except mining. In most cases, this was a resumption of upward trends in evidence in the second and third quarters, which had been temporarily interrupted in September. Forestry recorded the largest gain over the month (6.3 p.c.). Durable goods, construction and trade showed increases of over 1 p.c. The increases in non-durable goods, transportation, storage and communication, public utility operation, trade and service were small, as was the decrease in mining.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 30 cents over the month to \$79.05. This was \$2.45 above the same month last year. The payroll index, at 228.0, was virtually unchanged from September, but was up 4.5 p.c. from October, 1960.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
October, 1961 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Oct. 1961	Sept. 1961	Oct. 1960	Oct. 1961	Sept. 1961	Oct. 1961	Sept. 1961	Oct. 1960

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

NOVEMBER, 1961

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The index of industrial employment(1949=100) declined less than seasonally from October to November. The latest index, at 121.6 was down 1.1 p.c. from October but up 1.6 p.c. from November 1960. All major industry divisions except trade and finance, insurance and real estate, reported lower levels of employment in November than in October. The changes in most industry divisions, except forestry, manufacturing and construction differed only slightly from normal seasonal movements. The main modifying influences in the general decline were smaller than seasonal decreases in durable and non-durable manufacturing and construction. Largely as a result of the moderate declines in these components the seasonally adjusted composite index rose from 119.5 in October to 120.0 in November.

Contra-seasonal increases in transportation equipment and electrical apparatus and supplies were important in softening the decline in durables. In the non-durables group, clothing, textile, leather and rubber products continued a main source of strength, although smaller than usual reductions in food processing and a larger than usual increase in tobacco products were also important in moderating the November decline. The decline in the seasonally adjusted forestry index reflected a return to more usual levels of employment for the time of year, following very large increases recorded in October.

Employment was down from October in every province and region. However, employment was lower than in November 1960 only in New Brunswick, Manitoba and Saskatchewan, where the losses were not large enough to bring about decreases in the Atlantic and the Prairie regions.

Average weekly wages and salaries fell by 18 cents over the month to \$79.02, but were up \$2.41 from November 1960. As is usual at the time of year, the payroll index declined. However, the latest index, at 225.2 was up 5 p.c. from November 1960. #78.54

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
November, 1961 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Nov. 1961	Oct. 1961	Nov. 1960	Nov. 1961	Oct. 1961	Nov. 1961	Oct. 1961	Nov. 1960
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	91.2	95.2	100.5	74.1	77.7	79.79	79.26	76.98
Mining .....	116.1	117.1	118.2	116.8	116.3	97.66	97.35	94.57
Manufacturing .....	111.0	112.1	108.1	111.1	110.1	81.89	81.79	79.16
Durable goods .....	112.9	113.9	108.9	113.2	112.3	88.71	88.69	85.50
Non-durable goods .....	109.4	110.6	107.4	109.3	108.3	75.98	75.82	73.76
Construction .....	128.5	136.9	129.9	125.4	123.3	83.00	84.48	81.46
Transportation, storage, communication .....	109.5	110.8	110.3	109.1	109.0	87.56	87.24	82.92
Public utility operation	139.5	140.7	137.2	139.9	139.3	94.65	94.58	93.29
Trade .....	144.3	141.5	142.9	138.0	138.6	66.64	67.05	64.67
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	166.9	166.8	159.5	165.9	165.8	74.53	74.30	71.76
Service(2) .....	150.6	152.7	141.2	153.5	152.9	55.95	55.89	54.34
Industrial composite	121.6	122.9	119.7	120.0	119.5	78.84	79.02	76.43
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	110.4	112.9	108.5	..	..	66.46	65.93	63.82
Newfoundland .....	149.4	158.2	139.5	..	..	73.03	71.75	69.45
Prince Edward Island ...	140.2	144.5	133.0	..	..	56.20	56.30	55.62
Nova Scotia .....	97.5	98.2	96.7	..	..	65.12	64.78	62.44
New Brunswick .....	107.0	109.0	108.1	..	..	64.63	64.14	62.65
Quebec .....	123.3	124.0	121.2	..	..	76.32	76.22	73.95
Ontario .....	122.0	122.5	119.8	..	..	81.59	82.13	79.34
Prairie region .....	130.2	134.6	129.1	..	..	77.44	78.11	74.80
Manitoba .....	111.4	114.4	111.7	..	..	74.04	74.44	71.84
Saskatchewan .....	124.4	129.5	126.7	..	..	74.78	75.03	73.02
Alberta .....	155.4	160.9	150.9	..	..	81.40	82.47	78.17
British Columbia .....	113.2	115.0	111.9	..	..	86.55	85.98	83.73
Canada .....	121.6	122.9	119.7	120.0	119.5	78.84	79.02	76.43

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

DECEMBER, 1961

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined by 3.1 p.c. from November to 117.9 in December. This figure was 2.6 p.c. above that for December 1960. As is usual, between November and December, employment decreased in all major industry divisions except trade. The decline was concentrated in manufacturing, construction and transportation, storage and communication. In general, the losses were seasonal in size, or smaller, and the seasonally adjusted composite index rose slightly from November to December.

Except in forestry and construction, the changes in the seasonally adjusted major industry series were small. Construction recorded significant increases as a further strengthening was indicated in the building and general engineering component; forestry declined by over 5 p.c. Larger than usual decreases in the food and beverage group modified the overall increase in the seasonally adjusted manufacturing index. In durable manufacturing, employment in wood products and electrical apparatus and supplies continued to strengthen. Iron and steel products and transportation equipment recorded slightly larger than seasonal increases. In the latter, losses in motor parts and accessories partly offset moderate increases in other components of the group. Most industries in non-durable manufacturing recorded decreases which were seasonal in size or smaller, with particular strength being shown in leather, clothing and petroleum products. However, these gains were more than offset by declines in food and beverages.

Average weekly wages and salaries declined over the month by \$1.70 to \$77.08 in December. The latest figure was \$1.90 above December 1960. The payroll index, at 213.5, was 5 p.c. below the November index of 225.1, but 5 p.c. above that for December 1960.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
December, 1961 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Dec. 1961	Nov. 1961	Dec. 1960	Dec. 1961	Nov. 1961	Dec. 1961	Nov. 1961	Dec. 1960
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	81.0	90.0	89.4	69.2	73.2	76.25	79.85	74.74
Mining .....	115.0	116.6	113.1	117.2	117.3	95.15	97.75	94.96
Manufacturing .....	108.0	110.9	104.1	111.3	111.1	80.20	81.87	77.92
Durable goods .....	111.0	112.8	105.7	113.9	113.0	86.62	88.69	84.03
Non-durable goods .....	105.5	109.4	102.7	109.1	109.3	74.53	75.97	72.65
Construction .....	110.3	127.9	107.8	128.4	124.8	74.67	83.08	73.71
Transportation, storage, communication .....	105.8	109.8	106.3	108.8	109.1	87.03	87.46	82.95
Public utility operation	137.7	139.5	134.7	140.2	139.9	94.34	94.62	93.92
Trade .....	146.2	144.5	144.0	138.6	138.1	66.67	66.58	65.24
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	166.7	167.0	159.3	166.0	166.0	74.52	74.49	72.02
Service (2) .....	147.8	150.7	138.6	153.3	153.6	56.18	56.08	54.26
Industrial composite	117.9	121.6	114.8	120.3	119.9	77.08	78.82	75.18
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	104.6	110.6	101.1	..	..	64.73	66.35	62.47
Newfoundland .....	127.0	149.2	122.0	..	..	72.10	73.10	67.67
Prince Edward Island ...	124.2	144.1	114.5	..	..	57.04	55.58	55.12
Nova Scotia .....	93.4	97.5	90.0	..	..	61.87	65.16	60.16
New Brunswick .....	108.3	107.5	105.4	..	..	64.43	64.30	62.81
Quebec .....	118.6	123.3	115.0	..	..	74.29	76.35	72.62
Ontario .....	119.7	122.0	116.3	..	..	79.99	81.54	78.22
Prairie region .....	126.0	130.3	124.6	..	..	76.04	77.43	73.70
Manitoba .....	108.2	111.4	107.9	..	..	72.74	74.05	70.66
Saskatchewan .....	117.9	124.2	119.0	..	..	74.24	74.71	72.02
Alberta .....	151.0	155.5	147.1	..	..	79.55	81.39	77.04
British Columbia .....	108.8	113.1	107.1	..	..	84.00	86.59	81.40
Canada .....	117.9	121.6	114.8	120.3	119.9	77.08	78.82	75.18

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

JANUARY, 1962.

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined from 117.8 in December to 115.2 in January. Most major industrial divisions were lower although the drop was largely concentrated in trade, construction and transportation, storage and communication. Declines were partially offset by moderate increases in durable and non-durable manufacturing, and a small rise in finance, insurance and real estate.

The seasonally adjusted industrial composite index of employment was virtually unchanged from December. Most of the adjusted indexes for the major industry divisions were unchanged or rose slightly. However, the adjusted index for forestry rose significantly as employment decreases in British Columbia were considerably less than seasonal. The adjusted index for durable goods manufacturing was unchanged. Moderate gains were recorded in wood products and electrical apparatus and supplies, but iron and steel products rose less than seasonally, with losses in primary iron and steel and fabricated and structural steel more than offsetting gains in the remaining component industries. In transportation equipment, only the aircraft and parts group showed improvement. In non-durable goods manufacturing, smaller than seasonal decreases in food and beverages, and larger than seasonal increases in tobacco products, printing and publishing and miscellaneous manufacturing more than offset losses in rubber, paper products and clothing plants so that the seasonally adjusted non-durable index recorded a small increase. The only significant decreases were reported in mining and transportation, storage and communication. In mining, layoffs in Nova Scotia were largely responsible for the decline. Losses in transportation occurred mainly in Quebec.

The industrial composite of average wages and salaries rose by \$2.17 over the month to \$79.25 in January. A large increase from December to January is usual, average earnings usually being depressed during the year-end holiday week. The January figure was \$2.26 above January, 1961.

The payroll index rose slightly from 213.3 in December to 214.5 in January. The latest figure was 6.4 p.c. above January, 1961.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
January, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Jan. 1962	Dec. 1961	Jan. 1961	Jan. 1962	Dec. 1961	Jan. 1962	Dec. 1961	Jan. 1961
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	78.1	80.8	76.3	75.2	71.5	73.30	75.90	74.25
Mining .....	114.0	115.1	113.3	114.7	117.6	99.12	95.15	96.27
Manufacturing .....	108.4	107.9	104.3	111.7	111.5	82.27	80.16	79.65
Durable goods .....	111.3	110.9	105.9	114.2	114.2	88.44	86.57	85.44
Non-durable goods .....	106.0	105.5	103.1	109.5	109.2	76.34	74.52	74.66
Construction .....	102.6	109.5	98.1	126.0	126.0	84.22	74.75	81.96
Transportation, storage, communication .....	102.2	105.8	103.0	107.7	109.2	86.59	86.97	82.71
Public utility operation .	135.8	137.7	131.9	141.7	140.0	95.76	95.10	94.59
Trade .....	135.7	146.0	133.5	139.2	138.7	68.37	66.72	66.55
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	167.1	166.8	159.6	167.4	166.3	74.82	74.50	72.29
Service (2) .....	147.1	148.1	137.2	153.0	153.3	56.75	56.11	54.84
Industrial composite	115.2	117.8	111.6	120.4	120.3	79.25	77.08	76.99
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	99.6	104.6	97.0	..	..	66.57	64.53	64.94
Newfoundland .....	123.1	127.5	117.9	..	..	72.80	71.39	71.08
Prince Edward Island ...	109.4	123.2	105.4	..	..	58.82	57.25	57.34
Nova Scotia .....	89.1	93.4	87.6	..	..	65.15	61.87	63.62
New Brunswick .....	101.9	107.6	99.4	..	..	65.22	64.35	63.49
Quebec .....	115.6	118.5	111.0	..	..	76.81	74.40	74.27
Ontario .....	117.7	119.7	113.8	..	..	82.16	79.98	79.36
Prairie region .....	122.7	125.9	120.4	..	..	77.14	75.88	75.13
Manitoba .....	105.1	108.2	104.7	..	..	73.79	72.64	72.24
Saskatchewan .....	112.2	117.7	111.5	..	..	75.12	74.16	72.32
Alberta .....	148.8	150.9	143.7	..	..	80.70	79.30	78.67
British Columbia .....	107.0	108.7	105.2	..	..	86.30	84.02	83.83
Canada .....	115.2	117.8	111.6	120.4	120.3	79.25	77.08	76.99

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

FEBRUARY, 1962.

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined from 115.2 in January to 114.7 in February. In the major industrial divisions, the only changes of significance were declines in forestry, construction and trade.

The seasonally adjusted industrial composite index of employment also decreased slightly. However, apart from forestry, the adjusted indexes for the major industry divisions showed little change. There were offsetting movements in mining, increases in coal mining in the Atlantic Region being more than offset by decreases in iron mining in the same area, while the general levels in other provinces were virtually unchanged. In durable goods manufacturing, considerable gains were recorded in electrical apparatus and supplies and iron and steel products. In the latter, some strengthening was indicated in primary iron and steel, machinery and sheet metal products, but the gains in these groups were more than offset by a larger than seasonal decrease in transportation equipment. This was primarily a result of industrial disputes in the motor vehicle group.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 90 cents over the month to \$80.18 in February. This was \$2.33 above the same month last year. Per-capita earnings in all major industrial divisions were up from January except in mining, where they fell by 67 cents.

The payroll index, at 215.9, was up slightly from January, and was 6.6 p.c. above the same month last year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
January, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Jan. 1962	Dec. 1961	Jan. 1961	Jan. 1962	Dec. 1961	Jan. 1962	Dec. 1961	Jan. 1961
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	78.1	80.8	76.3	75.2	71.5	73.30	75.90	74.25
Mining .....	114.0	115.1	113.3	114.7	117.6	99.12	95.15	96.27
Manufacturing .....	108.4	107.9	104.3	111.7	111.5	82.27	80.16	79.65
Durable goods .....	111.3	110.9	105.9	114.2	114.2	88.44	86.57	85.44
Non-durable goods .....	106.0	105.5	103.1	109.5	109.2	76.84	74.52	74.66
Construction .....	102.6	109.5	98.1	126.0	126.0	84.22	74.75	81.96
Transportation, storage, communication .....	102.2	105.8	103.0	107.7	109.2	86.59	86.97	82.71
Public utility operation ..	135.8	137.7	131.9	141.7	140.0	95.76	95.10	94.59
Trade .....	135.7	146.0	133.5	139.2	138.7	68.37	66.72	66.55
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	167.1	166.8	159.6	167.4	166.3	74.82	74.50	72.29
Service (2) .....	147.1	148.1	137.2	153.0	153.3	56.75	56.11	54.84
Industrial composite	115.2	117.8	111.6	120.4	120.3	79.25	77.08	76.99
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	99.6	104.6	97.0	..	..	66.57	64.53	64.94
Newfoundland .....	123.1	127.5	117.9	..	..	72.80	71.39	71.08
Prince Edward Island ...	109.4	123.2	105.4	..	..	58.82	57.25	57.94
Nova Scotia .....	89.1	93.4	87.6	..	..	65.15	61.87	63.62
New Brunswick .....	101.9	107.6	99.4	..	..	65.22	64.35	63.49
Quebec .....	115.6	118.5	111.0	..	..	76.81	74.40	74.27
Ontario .....	117.7	119.7	113.8	..	..	82.16	79.98	79.96
Prairie region .....	122.7	125.9	120.4	..	..	77.14	75.88	75.13
Manitoba .....	105.1	108.2	104.7	..	..	73.79	72.64	72.24
Saskatchewan .....	112.2	117.7	111.5	..	..	75.12	74.26	72.32
Alberta .....	148.8	150.9	143.7	..	..	80.70	79.30	78.67
British Columbia .....	107.0	108.7	105.2	..	..	86.30	84.02	83.83
Canada .....	115.2	117.8	111.6	120.4	120.3	79.25	77.08	76.99

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined from 115.2 in January to 114.7 in February. In the major industrial divisions, the only changes of significance were declines in forestry, construction and trade.

The seasonally adjusted industrial composite index of employment also decreased slightly. However, apart from forestry, the adjusted indexes for the major industry divisions showed little change. There were offsetting movements in mining, increases in coal mining in the Atlantic Region being more than offset by decreases in iron mining in the same area, while the general levels in other provinces were virtually unchanged. In durable goods manufacturing, considerable gains were recorded in electrical apparatus and supplies and iron and steel products. In the latter, some strengthening was indicated in primary iron and steel, machinery and sheet metal products, but the gains in these groups were more than offset by a larger than seasonal decrease in transportation equipment. This was primarily a result of industrial disputes in the motor vehicle group.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 90 cents over the month to \$80.18 in February. This was \$2.38 above the same month last year. Per-capita earnings in all major industrial divisions were up from January except in mining, where they fell by 67 cents.

The payroll index, at 215.9, was up slightly from January, and was 6.6 p.c. above the same month last year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
February, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Feb. 1962	Jan. 1962	Feb. 1961	Feb. 1962	Jan. 1962	Feb. 1962	Jan. 1962	Feb. 1961
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	68.5	77.5	66.1	72.1	74.6	81.89	73.43	78.87
Mining .....	113.7	114.0	114.0	114.5	114.7	98.60	99.27	96.30
Manufacturing .....	108.9	108.5	104.6	111.6	111.7	82.76	82.29	80.24
Durable goods .....	111.9	111.4	106.3	114.2	114.4	89.24	88.45	86.10
Non-durable goods .....	106.3	106.0	103.2	109.5	109.5	77.04	76.86	75.19
Construction .....	100.2	102.0	96.9	125.4	125.3	85.74	84.17	83.96
Transportation, storage, communication .....	102.7	102.3	102.5	108.2	107.8	88.82	86.66	84.06
Public utility operation .	135.6	135.8	132.0	141.7	141.7	97.08	96.25	96.15
Trade .....	133.6	135.8	131.4	138.7	139.3	68.92	68.39	66.87
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	167.7	167.4	159.7	168.5	167.7	75.03	74.92	72.39
Service (2) .....	147.2	147.7	137.5	153.0	153.6	57.17	56.66	55.10
Industrial composite	114.7	115.2	111.0	120.2	120.4	80.18	79.28	77.80
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	97.5	99.4	94.7	..	..	67.53	66.55	65.69
Newfoundland .....	116.9	122.7	114.3	..	..	72.84	72.69	72.10
Prince Edward Island ...	106.2	109.3	110.2	..	..	60.74	59.20	56.86
Nova Scotia .....	88.6	89.0	86.1	..	..	65.21	65.13	64.07
New Brunswick .....	99.6	101.9	95.8	..	..	67.87	65.23	64.65
Quebec .....	115.1	115.7	110.6	..	..	77.70	76.84	75.06
Ontario .....	117.0	117.7	113.3	..	..	82.95	82.23	80.58
Prairie region .....	122.1	122.7	119.1	..	..	78.35	77.13	75.97
Manitoba .....	104.8	105.1	102.9	..	..	74.98	73.87	73.09
Saskatchewan .....	112.1	112.4	110.3	..	..	75.78	75.11	73.00
Alberta .....	147.6	148.8	142.9	..	..	82.18	80.68	79.61
British Columbia .....	108.2	106.9	105.6	..	..	87.55	86.22	85.30
Canada .....	114.7	115.2	111.0	120.2	120.4	80.18	79.28	77.80

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

MARCH, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) stood at 115.2 in March, 0.4 p.c. above the February figure. Almost all major industrial divisions recorded increases. However, the overall gains were greatly modified by large decreases in forestry, as the cutting season ended in Eastern Canada. Seasonally adjusted, the composite advanced slightly to 120.6. After marked advances throughout 1961, the composite has tended to level in recent months.

The seasonally adjusted indexes for most major industrial divisions were up from February. Only the adjusted indexes for forestry, public utility operation and transportation, storage and communication failed to advance; the decline in forestry may indicate a changing seasonal pattern. The largest percentage increase was in construction, largely reflecting expansion in the building and general engineering component. There were offsetting movements in mining. Greater than seasonal increases were recorded in metal mining, largely due to the resumption of operations in Newfoundland of iron mines closed in February. Employment in oil and natural gas levelled between February and March instead of declining as has been the pattern in previous years. However, the strength shown in these industry groups was largely offset by extensive layoffs of coal miners in Nova Scotia. Slight increases were shown in manufacturing. In durables, smaller than seasonal increases in wood products, transportation equipment and non-ferrous metals modified gains in other sectors. A contra-seasonal decline in aircraft and parts was the main factor in the reduction in transportation equipment. Most components of non-durable goods manufacturing showed larger than seasonal increases, with a contra-seasonal increase in clothing products being the most significant. In the service producing industries, increases were recorded in trade, finance, insurance and real estate and the service industries surveyed. The transportation, storage and communication group was virtually unchanged, and employment in public utility operation declined.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries at \$30.29 was only 8 cents above February. However, the latest figure was \$2.65 higher than in March 1961. The payroll index rose by 0.5 p.c. to 217.2 in March. This figure was 7.4 p.c. above March 1961.

Prepared in the Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
March, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Mar. 1962	Feb. 1962	Mar. 1961	Mar. 1962	Feb. 1962	Mar. 1962	Feb. 1962	Mar. 1961
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	47.0	68.2	41.8	66.1	71.8	84.12	81.93	79.24
Mining .....	113.7	113.7	113.0	115.2	114.5	98.87	98.65	95.88
Manufacturing .....	109.7	108.9	104.9	111.9	111.7	83.17	82.74	80.36
Durable goods .....	113.2	112.0	107.0	114.4	114.2	89.63	89.23	86.18
Non-durable goods .....	106.8	106.3	103.2	109.8	109.5	77.44	77.01	75.30
Construction .....	102.7	100.1	98.0	126.5	125.2	87.08	85.93	82.03
Transportation, storage, communication .....	103.4	102.8	103.7	103.2	103.3	87.84	88.84	84.25
Public utility operation .	135.6	135.5	132.2	140.9	141.6	96.96	97.10	95.27
Trade .....	136.1	133.7	133.8	139.9	138.9	68.63	69.01	66.44
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	168.0	167.7	160.1	169.2	168.5	75.03	75.02	73.86
Service (2) .....	149.3	147.7	138.9	154.8	153.5	57.05	57.18	55.04
Industrial composite	115.2	114.7	111.1	120.6	120.3	80.29	80.21	77.64
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	95.9	97.5	92.6	..	..	67.95	67.48	64.53
Newfoundland .....	113.4	116.8	106.7	..	..	74.15	72.86	70.23
Prince Edward Island ...	112.0	106.2	108.9	..	..	59.53	60.74	58.98
Nova Scotia .....	87.9	88.6	84.4	..	..	65.94	65.16	62.26
New Brunswick .....	97.3	99.8	95.9	..	..	67.62	67.78	64.64
Quebec .....	114.9	115.2	110.0	..	..	77.82	77.68	75.16
Ontario .....	118.0	117.1	113.7	..	..	83.17	82.96	80.45
Prairie region .....	122.9	122.1	119.9	..	..	78.08	78.43	75.60
Manitoba .....	105.6	104.8	103.4	..	..	74.96	75.03	72.59
Saskatchewan .....	113.0	112.1	112.9	..	..	75.58	75.78	73.29
Alberta .....	148.3	147.6	143.2	..	..	81.67	82.30	79.11
British Columbia .....	110.6	108.1	107.5	..	..	86.84	87.62	84.83
Canada .....	115.2	114.7	111.1	120.6	120.3	80.29	80.21	77.64

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

APRIL, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose seasonally from March to April. The latest index at 116.7 was 1.3 p.c. above March. Most industry divisions increased over the month, the exceptions being forestry and mining which declined, and finance, insurance and real estate which showed no change.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite was virtually unchanged at 120.6, the movements of the seasonally adjusted industry indexes being largely offsetting. The only significant change in the adjusted indexes for the major industry divisions were increases in forestry, trade and durable goods manufacturing and a decline in construction. The changes in forestry and construction may reflect changing seasonal patterns. Employment in durable goods manufacturing showed good gains mainly as a result of the settlement of industrial disputes in the transportation equipment group. Apart from the food and beverage group which rose less than usual for the time of year, most components of non-durables recorded changes which did not differ importantly from seasonal patterns. Mining showed a small gain as a result of settlement of industrial disputes in the iron mining industry and re-employment of coal miners who had been temporarily laid off in March. The adjusted indexes for all service producing industry divisions, except trade, showed little change.

Per capita earnings declined by 20 cents over the months to \$30.21. Lower earnings in the construction industry, where a number of employees took an unpaid holiday on Easter Monday, was a factor in the decline. The payroll index at 219.3 was 1.1 p.c. above March, and 6.5 p.c. higher than April 1961.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
April, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Apr. 1962	Mar. 1962	Apr. 1961	Apr. 1962	Mar. 1962	Apr. 1962	Mar. 1962	Apr. 1961
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	35.7	47.1	34.0	68.6	66.2	90.12	83.93	87.60
Mining .....	113.3	114.3	111.8	116.4	115.2	98.15	99.19	95.26
Manufacturing .....	110.2	109.6	105.4	112.1	111.3	83.14	83.23	80.95
Durable goods .....	114.7	111.3	107.5	115.4	114.4	89.59	89.63	86.90
Non-durable goods .....	106.7	106.5	103.6	109.3	109.5	77.34	77.52	75.77
Construction .....	112.4	103.2	106.6	123.9	127.1	83.41	87.21	82.72
Transportation, storage, communication .....	105.8	103.4	106.7	107.9	108.2	87.90	85.90	84.02
Public utility operation .	136.7	135.7	133.4	140.5	141.0	97.00	96.95	94.93
Trade .....	137.7	135.6	134.2	140.5	139.4	69.13	69.02	67.15
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	168.4	168.4	161.1	169.6	169.6	76.40	75.06	74.09
Service (2) .....	151.8	149.6	143.0	155.5	155.1	57.45	57.03	55.91
Industrial composite	116.7	115.2	112.6	120.6	120.5	80.21	80.41	78.12
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	96.5	95.7	91.2	..	..	67.14	67.92	65.34
Newfoundland .....	117.7	113.3	107.0	..	..	73.07	74.17	70.69
Prince Edward Island ...	114.6	112.0	111.2	..	..	61.53	59.53	59.29
Nova Scotia .....	90.8	87.8	86.4	..	..	65.67	65.91	63.97
New Brunswick .....	92.6	97.0	88.7	..	..	65.93	67.57	64.55
Quebec .....	116.2	114.6	112.3	..	..	77.57	78.02	75.60
Ontario .....	119.8	118.0	115.1	..	..	83.27	83.22	80.80
Prairie region .....	124.5	123.3	121.3	..	..	77.88	78.28	75.80
Manitoba .....	106.9	105.8	105.1	..	..	74.83	74.94	72.78
Saskatchewan .....	116.9	113.5	116.8	..	..	75.98	75.90	73.38
Alberta .....	149.0	148.9	143.9	..	..	81.21	82.01	79.41
British Columbia .....	111.4	110.4	108.8	..	..	87.14	87.10	86.03
Canada .....	116.7	115.2	112.6	120.6	120.5	80.21	80.41	78.12

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

MAY, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose by 3.7 p.c. to 121.0 in May, as staffs were increased in most major industrial divisions with the oncoming of spring. As usual, the increases were largest in manufacturing and construction, although the advances in forestry and transportation, storage and communication were also substantial. The seasonally adjusted industrial composite index showed a moderate rise of 0.3 p.c. to 121.0, largely as a result of a greater than seasonal increase in manufacturing.

The seasonally adjusted indexes for most major industrial divisions were up from April. The most important gain was in manufacturing, where the adjusted index rose from 112.0 in April to 112.9 in May. Both major components recorded significant gains. In durables, there were marked advances in iron and steel, electrical apparatus and supplies and transportation equipment. The increase in the last-named industry reflected a contra-seasonal rise in ship-building which more than offset losses in the aircrafts and parts industry. The settlement of a major industrial dispute in the textile industry accounted for a large part of the rise in non-durables.

Mining and service recorded the only significant increase among the seasonally adjusted indexes of the non-manufacturing industry divisions. In mining, re-employment of coal-miners in Nova Scotia and stepped-up hiring in metal mining were factors in the rise. Employment in forestry, public utility operation, and trade showed small gains. The only decline of importance occurred in construction. In that industry, a larger than seasonal increase in building was outweighed by a smaller than average rise in the highway, bridge and street component.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 51 cents to \$30.72 in May. The latest figure was \$2.72 above the same month last year. Most major industrial divisions showed increases over the month with declines being recorded in forestry, public utility operations and service. In no case, however, did the changes differ significantly from seasonal patterns. The payroll index at 229.4 was 4.4 p.c. above April 1962 and 6.9 p.c. above May 1961.

Prepared in the Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
May, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	May 1962	Apr. 1962	May 1961	May 1962	Apr. 1962	May 1962	Apr. 1962	May 1961
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	51.0	34.4	53.3	66.5	66.1	79.08	90.93	73.68
Mining .....	117.9	113.3	117.4	113.9	116.4	98.57	93.49	95.32
Manufacturing .....	113.4	110.4	103.4	112.9	112.0	83.74	83.11	80.72
Durable goods .....	113.1	114.7	111.0	116.2	115.3	90.40	89.59	86.94
Non-durable goods .....	109.4	106.7	106.2	110.1	109.3	77.73	77.27	75.26
Construction .....	125.3	112.3	123.1	122.3	123.9	85.08	83.45	81.27
Transportation, storage, communication .....	109.2	105.9	109.2	108.1	103.1	88.36	87.90	85.60
Public utility operation .	141.8	136.7	133.5	141.0	140.4	95.99	97.01	94.20
Trade .....	139.5	137.7	136.0	140.8	140.5	69.36	69.16	67.34
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	163.1	163.5	161.9	169.0	169.7	77.34	76.40	74.22
Service (2) .....	153.6	152.0	143.8	153.0	155.7	56.69	57.29	55.29
Industrial composite	121.0	116.7	117.2	121.0	120.6	30.72	30.21	73.00
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	104.4	96.1	101.7	..	..	66.35	67.22	64.68
Newfoundland .....	126.3	115.5	117.9	..	..	73.10	73.30	71.75
Prince Edward Island ...	137.6	114.6	131.9	..	..	60.13	61.53	56.37
Nova Scotia .....	96.3	91.0	96.3	..	..	66.16	65.72	64.66
New Brunswick .....	101.9	92.4	99.2	..	..	64.64	66.05	61.38
Quebec .....	120.2	116.3	116.6	..	..	73.43	77.49	75.26
Ontario .....	123.2	119.9	113.3	..	..	83.92	83.27	81.17
Prairie region .....	131.0	124.5	129.2	..	..	73.13	77.99	75.95
Manitoba .....	110.6	106.9	109.9	..	..	74.68	75.00	72.79
Saskatchewan .....	126.6	117.2	125.4	..	..	76.70	75.97	73.72
Alberta .....	157.2	149.0	153.7	..	..	81.58	81.32	79.54
British Columbia .....	115.1	111.6	112.3	..	..	87.51	87.15	85.35
Canada .....	121.0	116.7	117.2	121.0	120.6	30.72	30.21	73.00

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) increased seasonally from May to June. The June index at 124.8 was 2.9 p.c. above May. All industrial divisions showed higher levels of employment, with construction, manufacturing and forestry accounting for over three fourths of the overall gain.

In general, the seasonally-adjusted indexes for the major industry divisions showed small increases. However, these were offset mainly by declines in construction and in transportation, storage and communication. In the latter division, industrial disputes in the trucking industry accounted for the large drop.

In manufacturing, the seasonally-adjusted indexes for both durables and non-durables showed small increases. All major industry groups in the durables division recorded larger-than-seasonal advances except transportation equipment which declined contra-seasonally. In that group, the aircraft and parts industry weakened and declines were also more-than-seasonal in motor vehicles and motor parts and accessories as production schedules were completed earlier than usual in 1962. In non-durables, most industries increased a little more than seasonally, the only significant gain occurring in textile products.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 25 cents over the month to \$31.04. Most major industrial divisions showed improvement with the largest increase occurring in construction. Service, public utility operation and finance, insurance and real estate recorded small declines.

The payroll index rose by 3.2 p.c. to 237.5 in June. This was 6.2 p.c. above the same month last year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
June, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	June 1962	May 1962	June 1961	June 1962	May 1962	June 1962	May 1962	June 1961
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging).....	74.2	51.9	76.6	69.0	67.7	79.22	78.82	74.52
Mining .....	121.0	117.8	119.7	119.4	118.8	98.70	98.59	95.49
Manufacturing .....	116.2	113.7	111.2	113.5	113.3	83.72	83.72	81.16
Durable goods .....	120.7	118.4	113.7	117.1	116.7	90.22	90.38	87.42
Non-durable goods .....	112.3	109.7	109.1	110.6	110.4	77.87	77.70	75.70
Construction .....	137.1	127.5	134.3	122.5	123.9	86.98	85.21	83.26
Transportation, storage, communication .....	109.9	109.3	112.0	106.4	108.2	89.07	88.94	86.58
Public utility operation ..	145.1	141.9	142.1	140.2	141.1	96.37	96.40	93.67
Trade .....	141.3	139.6	137.5	141.5	140.9	69.81	69.38	67.69
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	169.2	168.2	163.0	169.7	169.1	77.36	77.39	74.39
Service (2) .....	162.8	157.7	155.2	156.0	157.1	56.70	57.09	55.23
Industrial composite	124.8	121.3	121.3	121.2	121.3	81.04	80.79	78.55
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	111.2	105.2	109.9			67.40	66.76	65.44
Newfoundland .....	143.8	127.5	142.4			73.88	72.39	72.06
Prince Edward Island ....	150.2	141.6	146.5			57.90	59.35	57.35
Nova Scotia .....	98.1	97.1	97.6			66.58	66.25	64.56
New Brunswick .....	110.7	103.0	108.5			65.22	64.45	63.06
Quebec .....	124.6	120.5	121.3			78.43	78.42	75.45
Ontario .....	125.6	123.4	120.8			84.25	84.08	81.85
Prairie region .....	135.9	131.2	134.7			79.10	78.15	77.35
Manitoba .....	114.1	110.6	113.4			75.67	74.63	74.04
Saskatchewan .....	132.1	127.0	130.7			77.66	76.73	75.28
Alberta .....	163.5	157.4	161.9			82.50	81.64	80.93
British Columbia .....	119.1	115.7	116.0			88.21	87.59	85.77
Canada .....	124.8	121.3	121.3	121.2	121.3	81.04	80.79	78.55

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

JULY, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose by 0.6 p.c. over the month to 125.7 for July. Increases were recorded in all major industrial divisions except trade and manufacturing which showed seasonal declines.

Seasonally adjusted, the composite rose from 121.4 in June to 121.8 in July. This increase was brought about mainly by a large rise in transportation, storage and communication that followed settlement of a major industrial dispute. The seasonally-adjusted index for public utility operation also rose strongly, reflecting increases that were above average in every region except British Columbia. Finance, insurance and real estate showed a small gain.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for manufacturing, mining, trade and service were virtually unchanged. In manufacturing, the movement of the adjusted indexes of the major components was largely offsetting. The durable index rose by 0.5 p.c. with most major groups showing improvement. Non-durables declined by 0.3 p.c. reflecting smaller-than-usual increases in food and beverages.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for forestry and construction declined. The decreases in construction marked continuation of a trend apparent since March 1962.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries decreased by 17 cents to \$30.38 in July. A reduction of 61 cents in manufacturing contributed to the overall decline, with most divisions recording little or no change.

The payroll index rose by 0.3 per cent over the month. The July index, at 238.8, was 6.1 p.c. above the figure for July 1961.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
July, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	July 1962	June 1962	July 1961	July 1962	June 1962	July 1962	June 1962	July 1961
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging).	73.7	75.0	82.9	69.9	70.7	81.59	79.30	73.26
Mining .....	122.5	121.0	121.0	118.9	118.7	98.86	93.79	94.28
Manufacturing .....	115.3	116.4	110.9	113.7	113.6	83.11	83.72	80.34
Durable goods .....	113.1	121.0	111.6	117.6	117.0	89.51	90.20	86.63
Non-durable goods .....	112.9	112.5	110.4	110.4	110.7	77.50	77.88	74.96
Construction .....	143.1	137.8	143.4	122.5	123.3	86.92	87.20	84.02
Transportation, storage, communication .....	114.1	110.0	113.5	109.4	106.6	89.10	89.10	87.03
Public utility operation ..	149.2	145.2	144.4	142.5	140.2	96.35	96.36	93.22
Trade .....	140.3	141.3	137.2	141.5	141.3	69.95	69.83	67.57
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	169.8	169.3	163.5	170.6	169.9	76.96	77.33	74.14
Service (2) .....	164.4	163.3	157.1	156.0	155.9	56.59	56.87	54.96
Industrial composite	125.7	125.0	122.5	121.8	121.4	80.83	81.05	78.24
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	111.6	111.7	114.4	..	..	67.59	67.37	65.13
Newfoundland .....	150.1	145.6	149.5	..	..	72.87	73.68	71.87
Prince Edward Island ....	154.3	150.9	145.0	..	..	58.13	57.73	56.18
Nova Scotia .....	97.7	98.4	102.4	..	..	66.66	66.59	64.44
New Brunswick .....	103.8	110.8	111.9	..	..	66.14	65.23	62.59
Quebec .....	125.3	124.3	122.8	..	..	78.05	78.47	75.24
Ontario .....	125.2	125.7	120.6	..	..	84.19	84.29	81.64
Prairie region .....	139.0	136.5	136.8	..	..	79.06	79.13	77.23
Manitoba .....	116.2	114.4	115.6	..	..	76.20	75.69	74.15
Saskatchewan .....	135.0	132.3	132.7	..	..	77.76	77.63	75.50
Alberta .....	167.7	164.7	164.0	..	..	81.93	82.54	80.62
British Columbia .....	122.7	119.1	118.8	..	..	87.30	88.26	84.67
Canada .....	125.7	125.0	122.5	121.3	121.4	80.83	81.05	78.24

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

AUGUST, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) at 126.3 for August was up 0.8 p.c. from July. The rise reflected increases in forestry manufacturing, construction and service. There was a small decrease in mining while the remaining industrial divisions were virtually unchanged. About three quarters of the overall gain occurred in manufacturing where both major components advanced. A significant increase in the food and beverage group due to the beginning of the canning season was a factor in the rise in non-durables. In durables, employment rose in transportation equipment following the July shutdowns in the automobile industries for model changeover and inventory taking.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite showed a small decline. The reduction reflected minor decreases in the adjusted indexes of a majority of the industrial divisions. Forestry and service showed an increase; public utility operation and finance, insurance and real estate were virtually unchanged.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for both major components of manufacturing declined although the reduction in non-durables was slight. The decline in the seasonally-adjusted durables index reflected a drop in non-metallic mineral products and a smaller-than-seasonal rise in transportation equipment. In the former industry group, a major industrial dispute in the glass products industry was a factor. Transportation equipment rose less than seasonally as some firms in the motor vehicles group had not resumed production by the end of the August survey week. In non-durables, gains that were larger than average in the food and beverage and paper products industries were outweighed by larger-than-seasonal decreases in clothing and chemical products. Industrial disputes caused the fall in the latter.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for August, at \$80.35 was 5 cents lower than July. The latest figure was \$2.53 above the same month last year. There were no significant changes among the major industrial divisions. A decline of 40 cents in manufacturing was attributable to a drop of over \$2.00 in food and beverages, owing to a significant increase in the number of seasonal workers, particularly women.

The payroll index for August was 240.3. This was 0.7 p.c. above July 1962 and 5.3 above August 1961.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
August, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Aug. 1962	July 1962	Aug. 1961	Aug. 1962	July 1962	Aug. 1962	July 1962	Aug. 1961
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging) .	79.8	78.6	77.4	72.5	69.8	80.49	81.52	72.98
Mining .....	120.5	121.2	120.2	117.2	117.5	98.82	98.76	95.00
Manufacturing .....	117.1	115.5	113.1	113.6	113.9	82.73	83.13	80.42
Durable goods .....	119.2	118.3	113.7	117.4	117.9	89.66	89.54	87.18
Non-durable goods .....	115.4	113.1	112.6	110.4	110.5	76.74	77.52	74.70
Construction .....	145.7	144.5	145.5	123.0	123.7	88.55	87.21	84.57
Transportation, storage, communication .....	114.0	114.2	113.8	108.8	109.5	89.13	89.04	86.83
Public utility operation ...	149.4	149.4	144.6	142.8	142.7	96.47	96.31	93.22
Trade .....	140.1	140.1	137.7	140.5	141.3	69.67	69.93	67.48
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	169.7	169.8	163.8	170.6	170.6	77.32	76.95	74.15
Service (2) .....	166.7	164.3	162.3	158.1	155.9	56.67	56.56	54.84
Industrial composite	126.8	125.8	123.9	121.7	121.9	80.85	80.90	78.27
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	112.1	111.7	112.1	..	..	67.21	67.63	64.73
Newfoundland .....	147.0	150.5	142.8	..	..	73.52	73.59	71.11
Prince Edward Island .....	155.8	158.1	149.7	..	..	57.74	57.13	55.79
Nova Scotia .....	98.8	97.6	99.1	..	..	66.34	66.59	64.13
New Brunswick .....	110.2	109.0	112.5	..	..	65.17	66.01	62.35
Quebec .....	127.1	125.9	124.7	..	..	78.19	77.97	75.15
Ontario .....	126.3	125.2	122.7	..	..	84.16	84.26	81.82
Prairie region .....	140.2	139.1	137.9	..	..	79.15	79.10	77.52
Manitoba .....	117.8	116.1	116.2	..	..	76.37	76.29	73.99
Saskatchewan .....	135.2	135.3	132.8	..	..	77.60	77.71	74.50
Alberta .....	169.1	168.2	166.0	..	..	82.06	81.95	81.66
British Columbia .....	123.7	123.6	118.9	..	..	87.29	87.93	84.08
Canada .....	126.8	125.8	123.9	121.7	121.9	80.85	80.90	78.27

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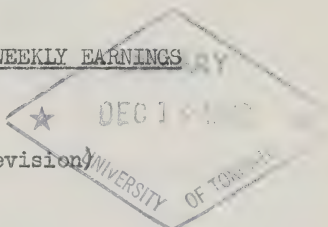
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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

SEPTEMBER, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) for September was down 0.5 p.c. from August to 126.4. Most industrial divisions showed lower levels of employment as firms reduced their staffs with the oncoming of fall. These declines were partly offset by seasonal increases in forestry and trade.

Seasonally adjusted, the composite declined by 0.2 p.c. to 121.6. The decline was reflected in the seasonally-adjusted indexes for most major industrial divisions. The exceptions were manufacturing, trade and finance, insurance and real estate which were virtually unchanged.

In manufacturing the movements of the seasonally-adjusted indexes of the major components were offsetting. The September index for durables, at 113.9, was up 1.1 p.c. from August. The advance reflected a larger-than-usual increase in transportation equipment as workers were recalled in the motor vehicles industry after the July and August layoffs. This rise was counteracted by a decline in non-durables as the food and beverage group showed decreases that were above average.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose to \$81.37 in September, up 57 cents from August. The increases reflected an advance of \$1.76 in durable goods manufacturing where increased staffs and a longer work-week raised per capita earnings.

The payrolls index for September rose slightly from 241.0 to 241.5. This figure was 5.9 p.c. above the same month last year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
September, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Sept. 1962	Aug. 1962	Sept. 1961	Sept. 1962	Aug. 1962	Sept. 1962	Aug. 1962	Sept. 1961
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Lumbering (chiefly logging)	85.4	80.2	85.3	71.2	72.3	31.23	30.08	75.23
Mining .....	113.1	120.7	113.5	116.3	117.4	99.04	93.39	96.32
Manufacturing .....	117.5	117.6	112.3	114.0	113.9	33.36	32.32	31.15
Durable goods .....	120.6	119.5	112.5	113.9	117.6	91.25	89.49	83.24
Non-durable goods .....	115.0	116.0	113.0	109.9	110.9	77.35	76.37	75.21
Construction .....	141.7	146.0	140.6	122.5	123.2	33.33	33.59	34.75
Transportation, storage, communication .....	112.0	113.9	112.5	107.9	108.3	39.23	39.13	37.70
Public utility operation .	144.7	149.4	142.1	141.3	142.3	93.69	96.47	94.72
Trade .....	142.2	140.0	139.3	140.5	140.4	69.36	69.64	67.19
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	169.5	169.3	163.5	171.1	170.7	76.70	77.16	74.18
Service (2) .....	161.4	167.4	155.3	156.7	153.7	57.26	56.34	55.23
Industrial composite	126.4	127.0	123.3	121.6	121.9	31.37	30.30	73.75
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	111.7	112.5	111.3	..	..	66.94	67.03	64.31
Newfoundland .....	150.2	143.1	147.1	..	..	73.61	73.26	69.77
Prince Edward Island ...	159.0	161.1	147.3	..	..	55.16	56.45	56.53
Nova Scotia .....	98.5	99.0	98.5	..	..	66.06	66.20	64.23
New Brunswick .....	107.9	110.3	110.4	..	..	64.73	65.09	63.03
Quebec .....	126.5	127.2	124.1	..	..	73.65	73.16	75.34
Ontario .....	126.7	126.6	122.3	..	..	34.67	34.13	31.32
Prairie region .....	133.6	140.4	136.6	..	..	30.24	79.20	73.30
Manitoba .....	116.6	117.3	115.4	..	..	77.64	76.50	74.56
Saskatchewan .....	133.0	135.3	132.3	..	..	73.14	77.67	75.17
Alberta .....	167.3	169.4	163.7	..	..	33.22	32.93	32.70
British Columbia .....	121.3	123.5	117.9	..	..	37.36	36.96	36.00
Canada .....	126.4	127.0	123.3	121.6	121.9	31.37	30.30	73.75

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

OCTOBER, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined over the month by 0.9 p.c., to 125.4 in October. Most major industrial divisions showed reductions; the exceptions were forestry, trade and finance, insurance and real estate which normally record increases between these months.

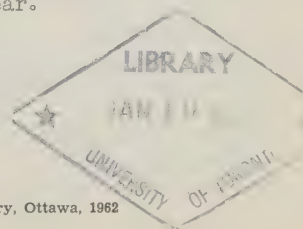
Seasonally-adjusted, the composite was unchanged at 121.7 as the movement of the major industrial divisions was offsetting. Decreases in forestry and mining were balanced by increases in transportation, storage and communication and in finance, insurance and real estate. There were small variations in the remaining industrial divisions.

The adjusted index for manufacturing showed no change as a rise in the non-durables component was outweighed by a decline in durables. The rise in the adjusted non-durables index reflected, mainly, a smaller-than-seasonal decline in foods and beverages. The decline in durables resulted from decreases that were larger than usual in iron and steel, transportation equipment and non-ferrous metals. These losses were offset to some extent by a large rise in non-metallic mineral products as an industrial dispute in the glass products industry terminated.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 19 cents to \$81.59 in October. Most industrial divisions showed higher levels of earnings over the month; the only decreases were in construction and trade.

The payroll index fell by 0.7 p.c. to 240.2 in October. The latest figure was 5.3 p.c. above the same month last year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
October, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Oct. 1962	Sept. 1962	Oct. 1961	Oct. 1962	Sept. 1962	Oct. 1962	Sept. 1962	Oct. 1961
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	88.2	85.9	95.2	67.1	71.6	82.87	81.71	79.26
Mining .....	116.1	118.2	117.1	115.3	116.4	99.49	99.15	97.35
Manufacturing .....	115.8	117.6	112.1	114.1	114.1	84.39	83.91	81.78
Durable goods .....	119.6	120.6	113.9	118.7	119.1	91.53	91.36	88.68
Non-durable goods .....	112.7	115.0	110.6	110.3	109.9	78.05	77.37	75.82
Construction .....	138.0	141.9	136.9	122.9	122.6	88.21	88.87	84.48
Transportation, storage, communication .....	110.9	112.0	110.9	108.6	108.0	89.95	89.29	87.25
Public utility operation .	143.8	144.7	140.7	142.3	141.3	99.17	98.69	94.58
Trade .....	144.0	142.3	141.5	140.8	140.6	69.03	69.36	67.05
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	173.6	169.5	166.8	172.5	171.1	76.32	76.70	74.30
Service (2).....	157.2	162.0	152.7	156.8	157.3	57.95	57.23	55.89
Industrial composite .	125.4	126.5	122.9	121.7	121.7	81.59	81.40	79.02
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	110.4	111.8	112.9	..	..	67.52	66.92	65.93
Newfoundland .....	147.1	150.6	158.2	..	..	74.02	73.65	71.75
Prince Edward Island ...	159.6	158.8	144.5	..	..	55.79	54.73	56.30
Nova Scotia .....	96.6	98.5	98.2	..	..	66.98	66.04	64.78
New Brunswick .....	108.1	107.9	109.0	..	..	65.14	64.76	64.14
Quebec .....	126.3	126.6	124.0	..	..	78.93	78.70	76.21
Ontario .....	126.2	126.8	122.5	..	..	84.83	84.70	82.13
Prairie region .....	135.7	138.6	134.6	..	..	79.92	80.22	78.11
Manitoba .....	115.1	116.7	114.4	..	..	76.79	77.53	74.44
Saskatchewan .....	130.7	133.1	129.5	..	..	78.40	78.19	75.03
Alberta .....	162.5	167.4	160.9	..	..	83.17	83.27	82.47
British Columbia .....	118.5	121.8	115.0	..	..	88.68	87.98	85.98
Canada .....	125.4	126.5	122.9	121.7	121.7	81.59	81.40	79.02

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined by 1.0 p.c. over the month to 124.2 in November, as many establishments reduced staffs with the oncoming of winter. Decreases were recorded in every industrial division except trade and finance, insurance and real estate. The usual pre-Christmas rise occurred in trade. The increase in finance, insurance and real estate was fractional.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite rose from 121.7 in October to 122.1 in November. Some advances occurred in the adjusted indexes of nearly all industrial divisions, but most of the overall gain took place in manufacturing and construction. The only significant decline was recorded in mining.

The rise in the seasonally-adjusted index for manufacturing reflected improvement in the durables division. In that component, declines in iron and steel, non-ferrous metals and electrical apparatus and supplies were smaller than usual. In addition, there was a contra-seasonal advance in non-metallic mineral products reflecting the termination of a major industrial dispute.

Average weekly wages and salaries at \$81.58 were virtually unchanged from October. The latest figure was \$2.76 above November 1961. The payroll index declined from 240.1 in October to 238.0 in November. The November index was 5.7 p.c. above the same month last year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
November, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Nov. 1962	Oct. 1962	Nov. 1961	Nov. 1962	Oct. 1962	Nov. 1962	Oct. 1962	Nov. 1961
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	85.9	88.4	90.0	68.5	67.3	84.69	82.83	79.85
Mining .....	114.3	116.1	116.6	114.2	115.3	100.74	99.65	97.75
Manufacturing .....	114.7	115.9	110.9	114.5	114.1	84.58	84.34	81.87
Durable goods .....	118.8	119.7	112.8	119.5	118.8	91.99	91.47	88.69
Non-durable goods .....	111.2	112.6	109.4	110.4	110.2	77.96	77.99	75.97
Construction .....	131.0	137.6	127.9	124.8	122.4	87.63	88.21	83.08
Transportation, storage, communication .....	109.2	110.8	109.8	108.3	108.4	90.10	90.00	87.46
Public utility operation .	141.8	143.7	139.5	142.0	142.2	99.80	99.22	94.62
Trade .....	147.2	144.0	144.5	140.9	140.7	68.73	69.10	66.58
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	173.9	173.7	167.0	173.0	172.6	76.50	76.29	74.49
Service (2) .....	155.5	157.7	150.7	157.7	157.3	58.15	57.92	56.08
Industrial composite .	124.2	125.4	121.6	122.1	121.7	81.58	81.57	78.82
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	107.2	110.1	110.6	..	..	66.66	67.63	66.35
Newfoundland .....	137.9	147.3	149.2	..	..	71.88	74.00	73.10
Prince Edward Island ...	145.4	154.3	144.1	..	..	56.00	56.22	55.58
Nova Scotia .....	96.2	96.6	97.5	..	..	65.70	66.92	65.16
New Brunswick .....	104.8	107.6	107.5	..	..	65.64	65.49	64.30
Quebec .....	125.5	126.4	123.3	..	..	79.17	78.94	76.35
Ontario .....	126.2	126.2	122.0	..	..	84.88	84.80	81.54
Prairie region .....	131.7	135.5	130.3	..	..	79.38	79.80	77.43
Manitoba .....	112.1	115.3	111.4	..	..	75.91	76.55	74.05
Saskatchewan .....	125.9	130.6	124.2	..	..	78.51	78.37	74.71
Alberta .....	158.0	161.9	155.5	..	..	82.63	83.12	81.39
British Columbia .....	116.7	118.3	113.1	..	..	88.70	88.71	86.59
Canada .....	124.2	125.4	121.6	122.1	121.7	81.58	81.57	78.82

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

DECEMBER, 1962

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined by 3.1 p.c. from November to 120.4 for December. As usual for the time of year most industrial divisions showed reductions. The main exception was trade, where employment normally rises to a seasonal peak in December. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite advanced from 122.1 in November to 122.4 in December, largely as a result of improvement in trade and in transportation, storage and communication.

The seasonally-adjusted December index for manufacturing showed little change from November. The adjusted durables component rose slightly as most major industries declined less than seasonally. A contra-seasonal decrease in tobacco and tobacco products was the main factor in the decline in the adjusted index for non-durable goods manufacturing.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for December, at \$78.57, was down almost \$3.00 from November. The December figure is typically low, mainly because of short-time and absenteeism associated with the Christmas period.

The payroll index for December was 222.1. This figure was 6.7 p.c. below November but 4.1 p.c. above December 1962.

Prepared in the Employment Section of the Labour Division

February, 1963  
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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
December, 1962 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1962	Nov. 1962	Dec. 1961
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	78.5	85.8	80.8	68.6	68.4	77.98	84.64	75.90
Mining .....	112.3	114.3	115.1	114.6	114.2	96.17	100.70	95.15
Manufacturing .....	111.1	114.7	107.9	114.5	114.6	80.81	84.55	80.16
Durable goods .....	116.5	118.9	110.9	119.8	119.6	86.47	91.94	86.57
Non-durable goods .....	106.6	111.2	105.5	110.0	110.4	75.63	77.93	74.52
Construction .....	110.0	130.5	109.5	123.6	124.3	77.65	87.60	74.75
Transportation, storage, communication .....	106.3	109.2	105.8	109.2	108.2	89.51	90.12	86.97
Public utility operation .	139.3	141.6	137.7	141.7	141.8	99.54	99.54	95.10
Trade .....	150.2	147.5	146.0	142.7	141.2	68.64	68.78	66.72
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	174.4	174.2	166.8	174.1	173.3	76.65	76.46	74.50
Service (2) .....	152.7	155.7	148.1	157.9	157.9	57.86	58.26	56.11
Industrial composite	120.4	124.3	117.8	122.4	122.1	78.57	81.53	77.08
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	101.8	107.2	104.6	..	..	65.53	66.68	64.53
Newfoundland .....	122.9	138.3	127.5	..	..	72.96	72.10	71.39
Prince Edward Island ...	117.6	145.4	123.2	..	..	59.01	56.00	57.25
Nova Scotia .....	93.5	96.2	93.4	..	..	62.70	65.62	61.87
New Brunswick .....	102.0	104.6	107.6	..	..	65.37	65.65	64.35
Quebec .....	120.4	125.4	118.5	..	..	76.12	79.14	74.40
Ontario .....	123.3	126.3	119.7	..	..	81.21	84.83	79.98
Prairie region .....	128.4	131.8	125.9	..	..	77.61	79.37	75.88
Manitoba .....	108.1	111.9	108.2	..	..	74.39	75.94	72.64
Saskatchewan .....	120.7	125.7	117.7	..	..	76.73	78.37	74.16
Alberta .....	156.3	158.4	150.9	..	..	80.60	82.64	79.30
British Columbia .....	113.4	116.5	108.7	..	..	85.34	88.56	84.02
Canada .....	120.4	124.3	117.8	122.4	122.1	78.57	81.53	77.08

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

JANUARY, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined by 2.0 p.c. from December to 117.8 in January. The usual sharp reduction in trade, following the seasonal peak in December, accounted for two thirds of the decline. Despite the large decrease in trade, the overall decline was milder than in previous years largely because of an increase in manufacturing and a smaller-than-usual decrease in construction.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite rose over the month by 0.8 p.c. to 123.3. The increase reflected gains in construction and manufacturing. There were also advances in public utility operation, service and finance, insurance and real estate. Forestry was the only industry for which the adjusted index declined.

In manufacturing, there were increases in the adjusted indexes for both durable and non-durable goods manufacturing. In durables, employment gains in wood and iron and steel products outweighed a larger-than-seasonal decline in non-metallic mineral products. In non-durables, the resumption of operations in a few large tobacco-processing plants after temporary layoffs during the last half of December was a factor in the advance. However, there was also some strengthening in leather, textile and clothing products.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for January at \$81.87 was \$3.42 above the December figure. A large increase at this time is usual mainly because December levels are depressed by short time during the Christmas season.

The payroll index rose by 2.3 p.c. over the month to 226.5 in January. The latest index was 5.6 p.c. above the same month last year.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
January, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Jan. 1963	Dec. 1962	Jan. 1962	Jan. 1963	Dec. 1962	Jan. 1963	Dec. 1962	Jan. 1962
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging) ..	66.6	78.3	77.5	65.7	68.5	75.17	77.96	73.43
Mining .....	113.0	112.5	114.0	115.1	114.8	102.22	96.17	99.27
Manufacturing .....	111.6	110.9	108.5	114.9	114.2	85.01	80.71	82.29
Durable goods .....	117.1	116.3	111.4	120.1	119.6	91.71	86.32	88.45
Non-durable goods .....	107.0	106.3	106.0	110.6	109.7	78.86	75.57	76.86
Construction .....	103.5	108.7	102.0	128.4	122.2	87.71	77.09	84.17
Transportation, storage, communication .....	103.6	106.4	102.3	109.5	109.3	89.51	89.38	86.66
Public utility operation ..	138.1	139.3	135.8	144.0	141.7	100.35	99.54	96.25
Trade .....	139.6	150.2	135.8	143.0	142.7	70.85	68.59	68.39
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	175.0	174.5	167.4	175.4	174.2	77.05	76.74	74.92
Service (2) .....	152.5	153.2	147.7	159.5	158.4	58.41	57.81	56.66
Industrial composite	117.8	120.2	115.2	123.3	122.3	81.87	78.45	79.28
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	98.8	101.8	99.4	..	..	69.04	65.36	66.55
Newfoundland .....	119.6	122.6	122.7	..	..	73.40	72.05	72.69
Prince Edward Island .....	106.2	117.6	109.3	..	..	62.03	58.60	59.20
Nova Scotia .....	90.2	93.4	89.0	..	..	68.46	62.66	65.13
New Brunswick .....	100.0	101.9	101.9	..	..	67.74	65.39	65.23
Quebec .....	117.4	120.2	115.7	..	..	79.25	76.00	76.84
Ontario .....	121.1	123.0	117.7	..	..	85.15	81.07	82.23
Prairie region .....	124.7	128.3	122.7	..	..	79.22	77.58	77.15
Manitoba .....	106.1	108.0	105.1	..	..	75.42	74.31	73.87
Saskatchewan .....	113.8	120.8	112.4	..	..	77.46	76.69	75.11
Alberta .....	152.2	156.0	148.8	..	..	83.03	80.61	80.68
British Columbia .....	111.6	113.2	106.9	..	..	88.40	85.25	86.22
Canada .....	117.8	120.2	115.2	123.3	122.3	81.87	78.45	79.28

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

FEBRUARY, 1963

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The February industrial composite index of employment (1949=100), at 117.3, was down 0.4 p.c. from January. Industrial activity is usually at its lowest ebb during these months so that a small decline is typical.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment for February was almost unchanged at 123.2. In general, the adjusted indexes for the major industrial divisions also showed little change. There was virtually no change in manufacturing as both major components recorded fractional offsetting movements. In durables, there was continued improvement in electrical apparatus and supplies but this was offset by a smaller-than-usual rise in transportation equipment. Most components of the non-durables division recorded changes which were seasonal in size. An exception was chemical products which rose markedly after settlement of a major industrial dispute in Quebec.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 86 cents to \$82.77 in February. The latest per capita figure was \$2.56 above February 1962. The payroll index for February, at 228.0 was 0.6 p.c. above January 1963 and 5.5 p.c. above February 1962.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
February, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Feb. 1963	Jan. 1963	Feb. 1962	Feb. 1963	Jan. 1963	Feb 1963	Jan. 1963	Feb. 1962
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging) .	60.7	67.1	68.2	66.2	66.1	84.98	74.98	81.93
Mining .....	112.5	112.7	113.7	114.0	114.8	102.61	102.22	98.65
Manufacturing .....	112.1	111.6	108.9	115.0	114.9	85.34	85.12	82.74
Durable goods .....	117.5	117.0	112.0	119.8	120.0	91.91	91.85	89.23
Non-durable goods .....	107.6	107.0	106.3	111.0	110.6	79.35	78.97	77.01
Construction .....	100.8	103.3	100.1	126.2	128.1	89.53	87.53	85.93
Transportation, storage, communication .....	103.3	103.7	102.8	109.1	109.6	91.86	89.56	88.84
Public utility operation ...	137.5	138.1	135.5	143.7	144.0	100.87	100.54	97.10
Trade .....	138.0	139.9	133.7	143.6	143.3	71.32	70.81	69.01
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	175.2	175.1	167.7	175.9	175.5	77.24	77.06	75.02
Service (2) .....	153.3	152.7	147.7	160.5	159.7	59.01	58.44	57.18
Industrial composite	117.3	117.8	114.7	123.2	123.3	82.77	81.91	80.21
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	97.0	98.7	97.5	..	..	70.18	69.11	67.48
Newfoundland .....	114.1	119.0	116.8	..	..	74.28	73.46	72.86
Prince Edward Island .....	103.6	106.2	106.2	..	..	63.51	62.03	60.74
Nova Scotia .....	89.2	90.1	88.6	..	..	68.84	68.56	65.16
New Brunswick .....	98.8	100.0	99.8	..	..	70.05	67.80	67.78
Quebec .....	116.5	117.4	115.2	..	..	80.04	79.19	77.68
Ontario .....	121.0	121.1	117.1	..	..	85.60	85.19	82.96
Prairie region .....	124.2	124.7	122.1	..	..	80.64	79.28	78.43
Manitoba .....	105.3	106.1	104.8	..	..	76.69	75.44	75.03
Saskatchewan .....	113.9	113.8	112.1	..	..	78.76	77.50	75.78
Alberta .....	151.9	152.3	147.6	..	..	84.61	83.11	82.30
British Columbia .....	112.0	111.7	108.1	..	..	90.40	88.49	87.62
Canada .....	117.3	117.8	114.7	123.2	123.3	82.77	81.91	80.21

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

MARCH, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) for March, at 117.7, was slightly higher than for February. There were moderate increases in most major industrial divisions reflecting the upswing which usually occurs at this time. Only forestry and mining declined, however, the reduction in forestry was comparatively small.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite rose by 0.2 p.c. from the previous month to 123.4 in March. There were advances in the adjusted indexes for forestry, non-durable goods manufacturing, construction, service, and finance, insurance and real estate. The only significant decline was in transportation, storage and communication.

In manufacturing, the adjusted index for the non-durables division rose as most component industry groups strengthened. The seasonally-adjusted durables index declined as employment in iron and steel, transportation equipment and electrical apparatus and supplies rose less than seasonally, and wood products recorded a small decrease instead of the usual February-to-March increase.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose to \$82.98 in March, 11 cents above February. The latest figure was \$82.57 above March 1962. The payroll index for March, at 229.3, was 0.4 p.c. above February 1963 and 5.4 p.c. above March 1962.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
March, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Mar. 1963	Feb. 1963	Mar. 1962	Mar. 1963	Feb. 1963	Mar. 1963	Feb. 1963	Mar. 1962
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging) ..	45.0	61.2	47.1	70.0	66.7	90.81	85.88	83.93
Mining .....	111.8	112.5	114.3	113.6	114.0	101.36	102.81	99.19
Manufacturing .....	112.7	112.2	109.6	113.2	115.1	85.92	85.41	83.23
Durable goods .....	118.3	117.6	113.3	119.4	119.8	92.56	91.96	89.62
Non-durable goods .....	108.1	107.7	106.5	111.6	111.1	79.84	79.42	77.52
Construction .....	103.4	100.5	103.2	127.8	125.8	89.98	89.74	87.21
Transportation, storage, communication .....	103.6	103.3	103.4	108.2	109.1	91.40	91.96	87.90
Public utility operation ..	137.6	137.6	135.7	143.0	143.5	102.00	101.91	96.95
Trade .....	139.5	136.0	135.6	143.3	143.6	71.08	71.31	69.02
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	175.5	175.2	168.4	176.7	175.9	77.37	77.25	75.06
Service (2) .....	155.1	155.5	149.6	161.7	160.7	58.97	59.03	57.03
Industrial composite	117.7	117.4	115.2	123.4	123.2	82.98	82.87	80.41
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	96.6	96.9	95.8	..	..	70.30	70.17	67.92
Newfoundland .....	114.2	113.6	113.3	..	..	75.47	74.34	74.17
Prince Edward Island ....	105.3	103.6	112.0	..	..	62.98	63.51	59.53
Nova Scotia .....	88.4	89.2	87.8	..	..	68.06	68.78	65.91
New Brunswick .....	98.7	98.8	97.0	..	..	70.70	70.05	67.57
Quebec .....	116.0	116.5	114.6	..	..	80.45	80.18	78.02
Ontario .....	121.7	121.1	118.0	..	..	85.81	85.68	83.22
Prairie region .....	125.1	124.2	123.3	..	..	80.28	80.71	78.27
Manitoba .....	106.0	105.2	105.8	..	..	76.57	76.80	74.94
Saskatchewan .....	115.9	114.0	113.5	..	..	77.77	78.73	75.90
Alberta .....	152.3	151.8	148.9	..	..	84.31	84.65	81.97
British Columbia .....	113.8	112.1	110.4	..	..	90.65	90.59	87.10
Canada .....	117.7	117.4	115.2	123.4	123.2	82.98	82.87	80.41

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

APRIL, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) for April at 119.1 was up 1.2 p.c. from March as most establishments increased staffs to meet seasonal rises in production. As usual for the time of year, a large proportion of the increase occurred in construction and in transportation, storage and communication. In construction, the rise marked the beginning of summer activity while in the latter division the advance reflected the opening of the navigation season. The industrial composite indexes of employment rose for all provinces except New Brunswick and Alberta.

Seasonally-adjusted, the Canada industrial composite index of employment for April was virtually unchanged at 123.7. Changes were generally small among the major industrial divisions. A decline in forestry reflected larger-than-usual decreases for that division in Ontario. Both components of manufacturing strengthened although the rise in non-durables was dampened by a major industrial dispute in the rubber industry.

The seasonally-adjusted composites for the provinces generally showed little movement. Exceptions were declines in the indexes for Nova Scotia and Alberta. In each case, smaller-than-usual increases in construction was a major factor in the decrease.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries at \$83.60 was up 64 cents from March 1963 and \$3.39 from the same month last year. The payroll index for April was 233.8. This figure was 2.0 p.c. above the previous month and 6.4 p.c. above April 1962.

### NOTE

Commencing with this issue, seasonally-adjusted index numbers of employment for the provinces will be published regularly.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
April, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (194 =100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Apr. 1963	Mar. 1963	Apr. 1962	Apr. 1963	Mar. 1963	Apr. 1963	Mar. 1963	Apr. 1962
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging) .	33.2	44.4	34.4	62.1	71.0	93.44	89.72	90.93
Mining .....	110.2	111.9	113.3	114.2	114.6	102.68	101.46	98.49
Manufacturing .....	113.6	122.8	110.4	116.0	115.5	86.74	85.92	83.11
Durable goods .....	119.3	118.3	114.7	120.7	120.0	93.80	92.87	89.59
Non-durable goods .....	108.8	108.3	106.7	112.0	111.8	80.85	79.98	77.27
Construction .....	112.1	103.7	112.3	126.0	126.7	89.15	90.06	83.49
Transportation, storage, communication .....	106.2	103.6	105.9	108.3	108.7	91.91	91.41	87.90
Public utility operation ...	138.1	137.6	136.7	142.5	142.9	113.71	102.03	97.01
Trade .....	141.1	139.3	137.7	143.9	143.4	71.38	70.96	69.16
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	175.4	175.4	168.5	175.7	176.2	79.26	77.32	76.40
Service (2) .....	157.2	155.4	152.0	161.7	162.0	59.14	58.90	57.29
Industrial composite	119.1	117.7	116.7	123.7	123.6	83.60	82.90	80.21
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	95.5	96.6	96.1	106.2	106.8	70.58	70.39	67.22
Newfoundland .....	117.7	114.4	115.5	140.5	138.4	76.11	75.46	73.30
Prince Edward Island .....	112.2	104.8	114.6	118.1	123.6	62.42	63.06	61.53
Nova Scotia .....	88.7	88.3	91.0	93.4	95.0	60.28	61.00	65.72
New Brunswick .....	92.7	98.6	92.4	105.9	106.6	69.57	70.78	66.05
Quebec .....	118.0	116.0	116.3	123.2	123.1	81.38	80.45	77.50
Ontario .....	123.5	121.8	119.9	126.4	126.0	86.62	85.75	83.27
Prairie region .....	125.9	125.0	124.5	132.6	133.1	80.16	80.27	77.99
Manitoba .....	107.9	106.1	106.9	112.5	112.0	77.24	76.62	75.00
Saskatchewan .....	120.1	115.9	117.2	127.0	126.6	77.99	77.77	75.97
Alberta .....	150.0	152.1	149.0	159.1	161.4	83.52	84.24	81.32
British Columbia .....	114.8	113.9	111.6	118.1	118.3	90.45	90.63	87.15
Canada .....	119.1	117.7	116.7	123.7	123.6	83.60	82.90	80.21

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

MAY, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 123.4 in May, up 3.4 p.c. from April. Employment rose in all major industrial divisions but over two-thirds of the advance was in the goods-producing group.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite declined from the April figure of 123.9 to 123.5 in May. The reduction reflected decreases in the adjusted indexes of the goods-producing industrial divisions. The most significant decline was in construction where employment in building and in highway, bridge, and street construction advanced less than is usual at this time of year. A small decline in manufacturing was due to slackening in both major components. In durables, there were smaller-than-usual advances in wood products, transportation equipment and electrical apparatus and supplies. In non-durables, there were above-average declines in clothing and tobacco products.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes in 6 of the 10 provinces fell off to some extent from April to May. In general, the declines were due to weakening in manufacturing and construction, although in the Atlantic region a smaller-than-usual advance in mining was also a factor.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 14 cents to \$83.67 in May. This figure was \$2.88 above that for May 1962. The payroll index for May at 242.3 was 3.5 p.c. above that for April and 5.3 p.c. above that for May 1962.

### NOTE

Commencing with the April issue, seasonally-adjusted index numbers of employment for the provinces are being published regularly.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
May, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	May 1963	Apr. 1963	May 1962	May 1963	Apr. 1963	May 1963	Apr. 1963	May 1962
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	48.4	33.2	51.9	65.7	69.4	82.22	93.80	78.82
Mining .....	113.5	109.9	117.8	112.8	113.9	101.88	102.48	98.59
Manufacturing .....	116.2	113.7	113.7	115.8	116.1	86.74	86.72	83.72
Durable goods .....	122.1	119.3	118.4	120.4	120.7	93.67	93.70	90.38
Non-durable goods .....	111.2	109.0	109.7	112.0	112.2	80.37	80.33	77.70
Construction .....	125.8	112.4	127.5	123.4	126.2	90.54	89.05	85.21
Transportation, storage, communication .....	109.4	106.4	109.3	108.8	108.5	92.01	91.77	88.94
Public utility operation .	145.5	141.1	141.9	145.0	145.6	101.03	101.66	96.40
Trade .....	143.2	141.1	139.6	144.2	143.9	71.67	71.41	69.38
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	176.3	175.4	168.2	177.4	176.1	79.28	79.22	77.39
Service (2) .....	164.3	158.8	157.7	162.3	162.7	59.03	59.16	57.09
Industrial composite	123.4	119.3	121.3	123.5	123.9	83.67	83.53	80.79
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	103.6	95.6	105.2	104.8	106.3	69.07	70.52	66.76
Newfoundland .....	131.4	117.8	127.5	141.7	140.6	75.39	76.06	72.89
Prince Edward Island ...	136.2	112.3	141.6	132.5	130.8	60.14	62.25	59.35
Nova Scotia .....	93.5	88.9	97.1	91.0	93.6	68.44	69.22	66.25
New Brunswick .....	101.5	92.8	103.0	104.4	106.0	66.73	69.53	64.45
Quebec .....	121.9	118.3	120.5	123.1	123.5	81.42	81.19	78.42
Ontario .....	126.3	123.7	123.4	125.9	126.6	87.07	86.62	84.08
Prairie region .....	133.1	125.9	131.2	132.7	132.6	80.32	80.08	78.15
Manitoba .....	112.0	108.0	110.6	112.3	112.6	77.40	77.22	74.63
Saskatchewan .....	128.9	120.8	127.0	126.4	127.8	78.37	77.99	76.73
Alberta .....	160.1	149.8	157.4	160.2	158.9	83.54	83.38	81.64
British Columbia .....	119.1	115.1	115.7	118.7	118.4	90.53	90.42	87.59
Canada .....	123.4	119.3	121.3	123.5	123.9	83.67	83.53	80.79

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

JUNE, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose by 3 p.c. from May to June, reaching 127.2 in the latter month. There were gains in all industrial divisions surveyed, and in all provinces, as is usual during the spring period.

Increases in the construction indexes for most provinces were considerably less than seasonal. In consequence, the seasonally-adjusted index for the industry declined substantially for the second successive month. Industrial disputes accounted for a small part of the decrease. There were minor decreases in the adjusted indexes for durable goods manufacturing, public utility operation, and transportation, storage and communication.

The seasonally-adjusted employment indexes for trade, service and finance, insurance and real estate gained between May and June, indicating a continuation of the upward trends in employment in these industries. The indexes for forestry and mining rose slightly after declining from March to May. These gains were outweighed by the declines in other industries; in consequence, there was a small decline in the adjusted composite index.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite employment indexes for the Atlantic and Prairie regions declined from May to June. The indexes for all provinces in these two regions also declined, with the exception of that for Nova Scotia, which rose somewhat. There were no appreciable changes in the adjusted indexes for Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia.

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries rose to \$83.62 in June. This figure was slightly less than that for May 1963, and \$2.57 above that for June 1962. The composite payroll index for June was 249.8, up 2.9 p.c. from May 1963, and 5.0 p.c. from June 1962.

### Note

Commencing with the April issue, seasonally-adjusted index numbers of employment for the provinces are being published regularly.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
June, 1963 (1)

	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	June 1963	May 1963	June 1962	June 1963	May 1963	June 1963	May 1963	June 1962
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	72.4	48.6	75.0	68.0	66.0	85.40	81.89	79.30
Mining .....	116.9	113.7	121.0	113.6	113.0	101.35	101.72	98.79
Manufacturing .....	118.7	116.3	116.4	115.8	115.9	86.30	86.80	83.72
Durable goods .....	124.1	122.2	121.0	120.1	120.5	93.08	93.80	90.20
Non-durable goods .....	114.2	111.3	112.5	112.2	112.1	80.14	80.36	77.88
Construction .....	132.8	126.7	137.8	119.4	124.2	90.67	90.55	87.20
Transportation, storage, communication .....	111.2	109.5	110.0	108.2	108.7	92.34	92.01	89.10
Public utility operation ..	148.5	145.6	145.2	144.7	145.1	101.95	101.10	96.36
Trade .....	145.9	143.3	141.2	145.4	144.3	72.13	71.68	69.83
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	178.0	176.5	169.3	178.4	177.6	79.13	79.35	77.38
Service (2) .....	172.7	165.1	163.3	165.0	163.1	58.51	59.06	56.87
Industrial composite	127.2	123.6	125.0	123.5	123.7	83.62	83.69	81.05
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	110.5	104.1	111.7	104.6	105.5	69.81	69.07	67.37
Newfoundland .....	149.6	132.8	145.6	138.0	143.3	76.86	75.19	73.68
Prince Edward Island ...	142.8	137.1	150.9	130.3	133.3	58.88	59.92	57.73
Nova Scotia .....	96.9	94.0	98.4	93.0	91.5	68.57	68.55	66.59
New Brunswick .....	107.6	101.4	110.8	102.3	104.3	67.62	66.69	65.23
Quebec .....	126.7	122.1	124.8	123.2	123.3	80.48	81.38	78.47
Ontario .....	129.0	126.5	125.7	125.9	126.1	87.00	87.12	84.29
Prairie region .....	137.0	133.3	136.5	131.4	133.0	81.29	80.32	79.13
Manitoba .....	115.2	112.2	114.4	111.9	112.5	78.11	77.45	75.69
Saskatchewan .....	132.1	129.3	132.3	124.5	126.8	79.83	78.29	77.68
Alberta .....	165.3	160.2	164.7	157.9	160.3	84.51	83.54	82.54
British Columbia .....	122.7	119.4	119.1	119.0	119.0	91.91	90.65	88.26
Canada .....	127.2	123.6	125.0	123.5	123.7	83.62	83.69	81.05

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

JULY, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) for July, at 127.5, was unchanged from June. There were increases in all major industrial divisions except manufacturing and trade. In manufacturing, employment declined sharply as firms in the motor vehicle and motor parts and accessories industries reduced staffs to carry out the annual model changeover.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite index for July was unchanged at 123.7. There were reductions in non-durable goods manufacturing, construction and public utility operation. In non-durables, employment rose considerably less than seasonally due mainly to a major industrial dispute in fisheries in British Columbia. The continued decline in construction reflected weakening in most regions but industrial disputes in Ontario were also a contributing factor.

Increases occurred in the seasonally-adjusted employment indexes for six provinces. The increases were offset by declines in Newfoundland, Alberta, and British Columbia. The adjusted index for Ontario was unchanged from June to July.

The industrial composite figure of average weekly wages and salaries was \$83.34 in July, down 30 cents from June. The latest figure was \$2.44 above that for July 1962. The payroll index at 249.5 was down slightly from June 1963 and up 4.3 p.c. from July 1962.

### Note

Commencing with the April issue, seasonally-adjusted index numbers of employment for the provinces are being published regularly.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
July, 1963 (1)

	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	July 1963	June 1963	July 1962	July 1963	June 1963	July 1963	June 1963	July 1962
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	80.6	73.2	78.6	71.1	68.7	85.04	85.28	81.52
Mining .....	118.2	117.3	121.2	114.2	114.0	101.95	101.39	98.76
Manufacturing .....	116.8	118.9	115.5	115.7	116.0	85.42	86.29	83.13
Durable goods .....	119.7	124.2	118.3	120.6	120.2	92.18	93.05	89.54
Non-durable goods .....	114.4	114.4	113.1	111.6	112.4	79.50	80.14	77.52
Construction .....	138.2	133.7	144.5	118.0	119.7	91.31	90.63	87.21
Transportation, storage, communication .....	113.9	112.0	114.2	108.7	108.3	92.26	92.42	89.04
Public utility operation .	151.2	148.7	149.4	144.0	144.9	101.20	102.31	96.31
Trade .....	145.1	146.1	140.1	145.7	145.6	72.27	72.23	69.93
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	178.8	178.1	169.8	179.2	178.5	79.11	79.33	76.95
Service (2) .....	175.1	173.7	164.3	166.4	165.9	58.40	58.49	56.56
Industrial composite	127.5	127.5	125.8	123.7	123.7	83.34	83.64	80.90
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	112.7	110.8	111.7	105.7	104.9	69.85	69.90	67.63
Newfoundland .....	154.0	149.9	150.5	136.6	138.3	75.65	76.99	73.59
Prince Edward Island ...	150.0	142.8	158.1	133.0	130.3	59.00	58.88	57.13
Nova Scotia .....	98.9	97.2	97.6	94.2	93.3	68.85	68.68	66.59
New Brunswick .....	108.7	108.1	109.0	103.0	102.8	68.18	67.66	66.01
Quebec .....	128.5	127.0	125.9	124.0	123.5	80.46	80.39	77.97
Ontario .....	127.0	129.2	125.2	126.1	126.1	86.66	87.02	84.26
Prairie region .....	139.7	137.5	139.1	131.7	131.8	81.04	81.43	79.10
Manitoba .....	117.7	115.4	116.1	112.5	112.0	78.41	78.15	76.29
Saskatchewan .....	135.7	132.9	135.3	125.6	125.3	79.78	79.69	77.71
Alberta .....	167.7	165.9	168.2	157.4	158.5	83.74	84.85	81.95
British Columbia .....	123.9	123.2	123.6	116.4	119.4	91.31	92.04	87.93
Canada .....	127.5	127.5	125.8	123.7	123.7	83.34	83.64	80.90

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

AUGUST, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) for the end of August 1963, at 129.9, was up 1.7 p.c. from July. The advance was larger than is usual from July to August and resulted mainly from above average increases in forestry, manufacturing, construction and trade.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite rose to 124.3 in August up 0.6 p.c. from the July figure. The adjusted indexes for most major industrial divisions advanced, with percentage gains of 4.8 and 2.2 p.c. occurring in forestry and construction respectively. In the former, an above average rise in the Atlantic Region was the main factor in the increase. A marked advance in highway, bridge and street construction in Quebec accounted for much of the increase in the adjusted index for construction.

The seasonally-adjusted index for manufacturing rose to 115.6 in August up 0.4 p.c. from the July figure. A major part of this increase reflected strengthening in the durables component where larger-than-seasonal gains were recorded in transportation equipment.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composites for four of the five regions advanced in August. The largest percentage gain occurred in British Columbia where the settlement of a major industrial dispute in fisheries was a factor in the increase.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for August was unchanged at \$83.27. The latest figure was \$2.47 above August 1962. The payroll index at 254.0 was 1.7 p.c. above July 1963 and 5.4 p.c. above August 1962.

Note

Commencing with the April issue, seasonally-adjusted index numbers of employment for the provinces are being published regularly.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
August, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wage and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Aug. 1963	July 1963	Aug. 1962	Aug. 1963	July 1963	Aug. 1963	July 1963	Aug. 1962
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	83.0	80.8	80.2	74.6	71.2	81.92	84.91	80.08
Mining .....	117.9	118.0	120.7	114.2	114.0	101.73	102.25	98.39
Manufacturing .....	119.9	116.9	117.6	115.6	115.1	85.49	85.30	82.62
Durable goods .....	123.0	119.9	119.5	120.2	119.1	92.34	91.89	89.49
Non-durable goods .....	117.3	114.5	116.0	111.8	111.7	79.47	79.52	76.69
Construction .....	143.4	138.8	146.0	121.1	118.5	91.63	91.43	88.59
Transportation, storage, communication .....	113.9	113.9	113.0	108.5	108.8	92.62	92.17	89.18
Public utility operation .	150.8	151.7	149.4	143.8	144.5	101.64	101.11	96.47
Trade .....	146.2	145.1	140.0	146.9	145.7	71.74	72.27	69.64
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	181.7	179.5	169.8	180.2	179.9	78.98	79.09	77.16
Service (2) .....	179.5	176.6	167.4	167.4	167.9	58.42	58.34	56.84
Industrial composite	129.9	127.7	127.0	124.3	123.5	83.27	83.27	80.80
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	113.5	113.7	112.5	105.7	106.7	69.37	69.79	67.03
Newfoundland .....	149.3	155.4	148.1	134.4	137.7	76.56	75.77	73.26
Prince Edward Island ...	150.9	153.5	161.1	131.0	136.2	59.44	58.76	56.45
Nova Scotia .....	99.7	99.6	99.0	94.7	94.9	68.19	68.68	66.20
New Brunswick .....	112.2	109.8	110.3	104.7	104.1	67.09	68.15	65.09
Quebec .....	130.3	128.4	127.2	124.1	123.9	80.68	80.48	78.16
Ontario .....	130.2	127.3	126.6	126.6	125.6	86.50	86.54	84.18
Prairie region .....	141.3	140.0	140.4	132.2	132.0	81.24	81.02	79.20
Manitoba .....	118.8	118.0	117.8	112.2	112.7	78.40	78.31	76.50
Saskatchewan .....	137.7	136.3	135.8	127.0	126.2	80.06	79.81	77.67
Alberta .....	169.6	168.0	169.4	158.2	157.7	84.08	83.77	82.03
British Columbia .....	127.2	124.1	123.5	120.0	116.6	90.40	91.23	86.96
Canada .....	129.9	127.7	127.0	124.3	123.5	83.27	83.27	80.80

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

SEPTEMBER, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 130.1 at the end of September 1963, virtually unchanged from the August figure of 130.2. Increases in forestry, manufacturing and trade were balanced by declines in the remaining industrial divisions.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite rose from 124.5 to 125.2 from August to September. The increase reflected strengthening in durable goods manufacturing, construction, transportation, storage and communication, and trade. There was little change in the adjusted indexes for the remaining industrial divisions.

In manufacturing, the advance in the adjusted durables component resulted, mainly, from a larger-than-usual rise in transportation equipment. In that industry, nearly all components recorded above-average increases but the main factor was that employment levels in the motor vehicle industry in September were higher than those existing prior to the layoffs. Smaller-than-seasonal declines in wood and in iron and steel products also contributed to the advance in durables.

There were increases in the seasonally-adjusted indexes for all provinces and regions in September except those for Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island. The only significant advance, however, occurred in Ontario due to the rise in motor vehicles referred to above.

The industrial composite average of weekly wages and salaries for September, at \$84.02, was up 74 cents from August. The September figure was \$2.62 above the same month last year. The payroll index for September 1963, at 256.6, was 0.8 p.c. above August 1963 and 6.2 p.c. higher than September 1962.

Note

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
September, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1940=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Sept. 1963	Aug. 1963	Sept. 1962	Sept. 1963	Aug. 1963	Sept. 1963	Aug. 1963	Sept. 1962
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.6	82.8	85.9	74.0	74.3	82.64	82.42	81.71
Mining .....	116.5	118.0	118.2	114.7	114.3	103.33	101.80	99.15
Manufacturing .....	120.3	120.0	117.6	116.6	115.8	86.69	85.47	83.91
Durable goods .....	124.5	123.0	120.6	122.3	120.2	94.09	92.32	91.36
Non-durable goods .....	116.8	117.5	115.0	111.9	112.1	80.09	79.46	77.37
Construction .....	141.5	144.4	141.9	123.1	121.9	94.14	91.80	88.87
Transportation, storage communication .....	112.8	113.9	112.0	109.2	108.6	92.71	92.73	89.29
Public utility operation .	147.0	151.0	144.7	144.1	143.9	102.85	101.06	98.69
Trade .....	149.2	146.2	142.3	147.9	146.9	71.10	71.77	69.36
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	181.5	181.8	169.5	181.1	180.3	79.11	78.94	76.70
Service (2) .....	174.0	180.8	162.0	168.4	168.6	58.87	58.34	57.23
Industrial composite	130.1	130.2	126.5	125.2	124.5	84.02	83.28	81.40
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	114.1	114.1	111.8	106.6	106.3	70.03	69.23	66.92
Newfoundland .....	152.4	149.7	150.6	134.7	134.8	76.47	76.62	73.65
Prince Edward Island ...	146.3	151.6	158.8	128.9	131.6	59.02	59.61	54.73
Nova Scotia .....	100.6	100.1	98.5	96.2	95.1	69.28	68.04	66.04
New Brunswick .....	111.5	113.0	107.9	106.1	105.5	67.72	66.82	64.76
Quebec .....	129.8	130.4	126.6	124.3	124.2	81.48	80.72	78.70
Ontario .....	131.3	130.4	126.8	127.9	126.8	87.34	86.50	84.70
Prairie region .....	140.2	141.5	138.6	132.8	132.4	81.70	81.34	80.22
Manitoba .....	118.4	118.9	116.7	112.7	112.3	78.86	78.51	77.53
Saskatchewan .....	136.1	137.8	133.1	127.2	127.1	80.83	80.19	78.19
Alberta .....	168.2	170.1	167.4	159.3	158.7	84.41	84.17	83.27
British Columbia .....	125.8	127.4	121.8	120.3	120.2	90.91	90.39	87.98
Canada .....	130.1	130.2	126.5	125.2	124.5	84.02	83.28	81.40

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 129.3 at the end of October 1963, down 0.8 p.c. from the September figure of 130.3. Employment in most major industrial divisions declined; the exceptions were forestry, trade and finance, insurance and real estate which usually rise between these months.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment for October was virtually unchanged at 125.7. Among the major industrial divisions the only significant increase occurred in manufacturing. However, this gain was offset to some extent by a decline in forestry. The adjusted indexes for the remaining divisions showed small variations over the month.

In manufacturing, the adjusted indexes rose by 0.7 p.c. to 117.5 with increases in both major components. In durables there was strengthening in wood products, iron and steel products and transportation equipment. In non-durables there was some strengthening in most component industries but a major factor was a large advance in rubber products following settlement of a major industrial dispute.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries was \$84.67 at the end of October, 1963, up 45 cents from September. The latest figure was \$3.04 above October 1962. The payroll index for October, at 256.8, was down 0.3 p.c. from September 1963 but up 7.0 p.c. from the October 1962 figure of 240.1.

### Note

The specified series shown overleaf have been revised for 1961 and 1962 due to a basic change in reporting procedures in Quebec forestry. A description of the revisions and tables of the revised values will be included in the October issue of "Employment and Payrolls", catalogue No. 72-002

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
October, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1940=100)						Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted					
	Oct. 1963	Sept. 1963	Oct. 1962	Oct. 1963	Sept. 1963	Oct. 1963	Sept. 1963	Oct. 1962	
						dollars			
<u>Industrial divisions</u>									
*Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.2	88.5	89.0	67.7	72.5	91.36	90.63	86.00	
Mining .....	115.5	116.7	116.1	114.9	114.9	103.52	103.21	99.65	
Manufacturing .....	119.2	120.3	115.9	117.5	116.7	87.45	86.71	84.34	
Durable goods .....	124.4	124.5	119.7	123.2	122.4	94.62	94.13	91.47	
Non-durable goods .....	114.9	116.8	112.6	112.8	112.0	80.94	80.09	77.99	
Construction .....	138.5	143.2	137.6	124.3	124.6	94.12	94.48	88.21	
Transportation, storage communication .....	111.8	112.8	110.8	109.4	109.1	93.78	92.76	90.00	
Public utility operation .	145.0	147.0	143.7	143.4	144.1	103.36	102.85	99.22	
Trade .....	150.7	149.5	144.0	147.7	148.1	71.35	71.08	69.10	
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	182.3	181.5	173.7	180.9	181.1	78.96	79.14	76.29	
Service (2) .....	171.3	175.2	157.7	170.7	169.6	59.43	58.87	57.92	
* Industrial composite	129.3	130.3	125.4	125.7	125.5	84.67	84.22	81.63	
<u>Provinces and regions</u>									
Atlantic region .....	113.3	114.0	110.1	106.8	106.5	70.04	70.08	67.63	
Newfoundland .....	150.1	151.0	147.3	131.5	133.5	77.14	76.62	74.00	
Prince Edward Island ...	153.3	146.5	154.3	138.2	128.9	58.27	59.01	56.22	
Nova Scotia .....	100.5	101.0	96.6	97.7	96.6	68.65	69.28	66.92	
New Brunswick .....	109.9	111.3	107.6	104.9	105.9	68.26	67.79	65.49	
* Quebec .....	129.7	130.3	126.5	124.9	124.7	82.75	82.06	79.17	
Ontario .....	130.9	131.5	126.2	128.3	128.1	87.79	87.36	84.80	
Prairie region .....	138.1	140.8	135.5	133.6	133.4	82.10	81.83	79.80	
Manitoba .....	117.3	118.9	115.3	113.0	113.2	78.71	79.03	76.55	
Saskatchewan .....	135.7	136.5	130.6	129.4	127.5	80.97	80.96	78.37	
Alberta .....	163.9	168.8	161.9	160.2	159.9	85.45	84.52	83.12	
British Columbia .....	123.1	126.0	118.3	121.4	120.5	91.50	91.01	88.71	
* Canada .....	129.3	130.3	125.4	125.7	125.5	84.67	84.22	81.63	

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

NOVEMBER, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 128.7 at the end of November 1963, down 0.5 p.c. from the October figure of 129.4. There were decreases in every major industrial division except trade which rose, and finance, insurance and real estate which was virtually unchanged. Trade usually shows a large increase just prior to Christmas; however, the rise in 1963 was above average.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite rose from 125.7 in October to 126.4 in November. This advance reflected strengthening in durable goods manufacturing, construction and trade. The advance in the adjusted index for durables resulted mainly from an above-average increase in transportation equipment and a smaller-than-seasonal decline in wood products. A major factor contributing to the rise in the adjusted index for construction was a smaller-than-usual decline in the highway component.

The seasonally adjusted industrial composites for nearly all provinces rose from October to November. Marked improvement occurred in the Prairie Region where the adjusted index for each province rose by 1.5 p.c. or more. There was virtually no change in the Atlantic Region as advances in the adjusted indexes for Newfoundland and New Brunswick were offset by reductions in those for Prince Edward Island and Nova Scotia.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for November was \$84.63, virtually unchanged from October. However, the latest per capita figure was \$3.08 above November 1962. The payroll index for November, at 255.6, was down 0.6 p.c. from October, but up 7.4 p.c. from the November 1962 figure of 237.9.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
November, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Nov. 1963	Oct. 1963	Nov. 1962	Nov. 1963	Oct. 1963	Nov. 1963	Oct. 1963	Nov. 1962
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	87.3	89.2	86.0	69.4	67.7	91.18	91.43	85.50
Mining .....	114.0	115.4	114.3	114.3	114.8	104.05	103.59	100.70
Manufacturing .....	118.5	119.3	114.7	118.0	117.5	88.29	87.43	84.55
Durable goods .....	124.3	124.6	118.9	124.5	123.3	95.99	94.57	91.94
Non-durable goods .....	113.7	114.9	111.2	112.6	112.6	81.24	80.95	77.93
Construction .....	131.8	138.3	130.5	125.5	124.1	91.64	94.22	87.60
Transportation, storage communication .....	110.7	111.9	109.2	109.8	109.6	94.14	93.81	90.12
Public utility operation .	144.2	145.0	141.6	144.4	143.4	104.42	103.36	99.54
Trade .....	155.3	151.0	147.5	149.1	148.0	70.68	71.29	68.78
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	182.5	182.4	174.2	181.5	181.0	79.03	78.96	76.46
Service (2) .....	169.4	172.0	155.7	171.6	171.4	59.47	59.36	58.26
Industrial composite	128.7	129.4	124.3	126.4	125.7	84.63	84.65	81.55
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	110.9	113.3	107.2	106.6	106.8	70.34	70.10	66.68
Newfoundland .....	145.2	150.4	138.3	133.4	131.8	75.96	77.19	72.10
Prince Edward Island ...	146.4	153.3	145.4	135.6	138.2	59.50	58.27	56.00
Nova Scotia .....	98.2	100.4	96.2	95.9	97.6	68.94	68.64	65.62
New Brunswick .....	108.8	109.9	104.6	106.0	104.9	69.50	68.40	65.65
Quebec .....	129.3	129.8	125.5	125.7	125.0	82.49	82.74	79.20
Ontario .....	130.9	130.9	126.3	128.8	128.3	87.91	87.75	84.83
Prairie region .....	136.3	138.1	131.8	136.0	133.6	81.52	82.11	79.37
Manitoba .....	115.7	117.3	111.9	114.7	113.0	77.99	78.69	75.94
Saskatchewan .....	133.6	135.9	125.7	132.7	129.6	80.91	80.97	78.37
Alberta .....	162.0	163.8	158.4	162.8	160.1	84.77	85.49	82.64
British Columbia .....	122.2	123.5	116.5	122.6	121.8	91.59	91.42	88.56
Canada .....	128.7	129.4	124.3	126.4	125.7	84.63	84.65	81.55

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

December, 1963

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined less than seasonally from November to December. The latest index was 125.4, down 2.5 p.c. from November. As usual for the time of year, employment declined in all major industrial divisions except trade and finance, insurance, and real estate; trade traditionally rises to a seasonal peak in December.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite rose by 1.0 p.c. from 126.3 in November to 127.6 at the end of December. The marked advance reflected increases in manufacturing (1.4 p.c.), construction (2.6 p.c.) and transportation, storage and communication (1.3 p.c.). In manufacturing, the adjusted indexes for both major components, durables and non-durables, rose strongly. In durables, a major part of the gain occurred in the wood, iron and steel and transportation equipment industries. In non-durables, strengthening in food and beverages, clothing and paper products were important factors.

The rise in the seasonally-adjusted index for construction was a result of smaller-than-seasonal declines in general engineering and in highway, bridge and street construction. The large rise in the adjusted index for transportation, storage and communication, reflected continued expansion in water transportation.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes of employment for all regions were up in December. The largest increases were in the Atlantic Region (1.9 p.c.) and British Columbia (2.0 p.c.). In the remaining regions, employment was up by 1.0 p.c. in Quebec, 0.8 p.c. in the Prairie Region, and 0.4 p.c. in Ontario.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries declined by \$2.84 to \$31.77 in December. The December figure was \$3.32 above the same month last year. The payroll index, at 240.6, was down 5.8 p.c. from November 1963 but up 8.7 p.c. from the December 1962 figure of 221.4.

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Average Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
December, 1963 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Dec. 1963	Nov. 1963	Dec. 1962	Dec. 1963	Nov. 1963	Dec. 1963	Nov. 1963	Dec. 1962
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	75.8	86.9	78.3	67.6	69.1	87.39	91.30	77.96
Mining .....	112.2	113.7	112.5	114.2	114.0	101.40	104.15	96.17
Manufacturing .....	116.0	118.6	110.9	119.7	118.0	84.85	88.24	80.71
Durable goods .....	122.9	124.2	116.3	126.0	124.4	91.25	95.97	86.32
Non-durable goods .....	110.3	113.8	106.3	114.5	112.7	78.88	81.18	75.57
Construction .....	112.7	131.1	108.7	128.3	125.0	79.99	91.47	77.09
Transportation, storage communication .....	108.7	110.6	106.4	111.1	109.7	92.40	94.24	89.38
Public utility operation .	141.6	144.2	139.3	144.0	144.4	104.70	104.42	99.54
Trade .....	157.6	155.5	150.2	149.3	149.3	71.09	70.78	68.59
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	182.9	182.7	174.5	182.3	181.7	79.11	79.01	76.74
Service (2) .....	166.2	169.7	153.2	171.6	171.9	59.17	59.44	57.81
Industrial composite	125.4	128.6	120.2	127.6	126.3	81.77	84.61	78.45
<u>Provinces and regions:</u>								
Atlantic region .....	106.8	110.8	101.8	108.5	106.5	68.66	70.26	65.36
Newfoundland .....	131.7	145.1	122.6	138.7	133.4	74.92	75.95	72.05
Prince Edward Island ...	121.8	149.4	117.6	134.4	138.4	60.43	58.86	58.60
Nova Scotia .....	97.0	98.2	93.4	98.4	95.9	65.93	68.95	62.66
New Brunswick .....	107.0	108.6	101.9	105.9	105.3	68.98	69.32	65.39
Quebec .....	124.8	129.3	120.2	126.9	125.7	79.26	82.58	76.00
Ontario .....	128.2	130.9	123.0	129.3	128.8	84.90	87.82	81.07
Prairie region .....	133.0	136.1	128.3	136.9	135.8	79.66	81.51	77.58
Manitoba .....	113.3	115.6	108.0	116.2	114.6	76.16	78.03	74.31
Saskatchewan .....	128.1	133.1	120.8	133.2	132.2	79.09	80.73	76.69
Alberta .....	158.9	161.9	156.0	163.4	162.7	82.86	84.77	80.61
British Columbia .....	120.4	122.3	113.2	125.1	122.7	87.95	91.70	85.25
Canada .....	125.4	128.6	120.2	127.6	126.3	81.77	84.61	78.45

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined less than seasonally from December to January. The January index, at 123.3, was down 1.5 p.c. from December 1963. As is usual for the time of year, most major industrial divisions declined. More than half the overall reduction occurred in trade, reflecting the lay-off of casual employees taken on during the Christmas season.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite rose from 127.4 in December to 129.0 at the end of January. The increase reflected advances in all major industrial divisions. Over one third of the gains originated in the construction industry where expansion in the building and general engineering component was a major factor in raising the seasonally-adjusted index by 5.5 % to 133.9, its highest level since the fall of 1957.

The adjusted index for manufacturing rose by 0.6 p.c. to 120.3 in January. The increase was due to a marked rise in durables where transportation equipment, wood and iron and steel products continued to expand. The small rise in the adjusted index for non-durables resulted from above-average increases in rubber, textiles and miscellaneous manufacturing industries.

All regions shared in the expansion in employment. Increases in the seasonally-adjusted industrial composite for the regions ranged from 0.9 p.c. in British Columbia to 2.6 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose seasonally by \$3.15 to \$84.79 in January. This increase was \$2.78 above the same month last year. The payroll index for January, at 245.4, was 2.3 p.c. above the December 1963 figure of 239.8 and 8.2 p.c. above the January 1963 index of 226.7.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
January, 1964 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Jan. 1964	Dec. 1963	Jan. 1963	Jan. 1964	Dec. 1963	Jan. 1964	Dec. 1963	Jan. 1963
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	71.3	74.5	66.6	69.1	66.4	85.52	86.87	80.26
Mining .....	112.5	112.4	112.7	115.5	114.4	105.80	101.34	102.22
Manufacturing .....	116.9	115.9	111.6	120.3	119.6	88.16	84.67	85.12
Durable goods .....	123.9	122.7	117.0	127.1	125.7	94.56	91.11	91.85
Non-durable goods .....	111.1	110.2	107.0	114.6	114.4	82.20	78.66	78.97
Construction .....	108.9	111.6	103.3	133.9	126.9	92.24	79.42	87.53
Transportation, storage, communication .....	105.6	108.7	103.7	112.1	111.0	93.27	92.37	89.56
Public utility operation .	139.6	141.0	138.1	144.6	143.4	104.26	104.77	100.54
Trade .....	147.1	157.5	139.9	150.9	149.3	72.39	71.07	70.81
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	183.4	183.1	175.1	183.8	182.5	79.63	79.16	77.06
Service (2) .....	166.9	166.9	152.7	174.7	172.4	60.13	59.24	58.44
Industrial composite	123.3	125.1	117.9	129.0	127.4	84.79	81.64	82.01
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	103.8	106.4	98.7	110.9	108.1	72.04	68.55	69.11
Newfoundland .....	126.3	131.6	119.0	140.0	138.6	76.29	74.68	73.46
Prince Edward Island ...	117.8	123.2	106.2	142.4	135.9	62.73	59.70	62.03
Nova Scotia .....	94.7	96.6	90.1	101.0	98.0	70.98	65.98	68.56
New Brunswick .....	104.3	106.4	100.0	107.6	105.3	71.62	68.82	67.80
Quebec .....	122.5	124.5	117.6	128.7	126.6	82.43	79.09	79.51
Ontario .....	126.8	128.2	121.1	130.8	129.3	88.91	84.82	85.19
Prairie region .....	130.7	133.0	124.7	139.1	136.9	81.52	79.57	79.28
Manitoba .....	111.5	113.3	106.1	117.7	116.2	77.71	76.01	75.44
Saskatchewan .....	122.0	127.9	113.8	134.6	133.0	79.98	78.98	77.50
Alberta .....	157.8	158.9	152.3	166.5	163.4	85.31	82.81	83.11
British Columbia .....	117.8	119.5	111.7	125.3	124.2	91.35	87.70	88.49
Canada .....	123.3	125.1	117.9	129.0	127.4	84.79	81.64	82.01

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ADVANCE STATEMENT <sup>on</sup> (OF) EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

FEBRUARY, 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 123.0 at the end of February, down slightly from the January figure of 123.3. Among the major industrial divisions, increases in manufacturing and service were outweighed by reductions in forestry, construction and trade. There was little change in the remaining divisions.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite rose from 129.0 in January to 129.4 in February marking the seventh successive month for which a month-to-month increase was recorded. The seasonally-adjusted indexes for most major industrial divisions also advanced, with the largest percentage gains occurring in forestry and service. There were declines in the adjusted indexes for construction and transportation, storage and communication. The decrease in construction was not large enough to offset the unusually large increase which occurred between December and January. As a result, the the adjusted index for the current month was substantially higher than that for any month (other than January 1964) in the past three years.

The adjusted index for manufacturing rose by 0.3 p.c. to 120.8 at the end of February. The increase reflected continued strengthening in both major components, however, the expansion in durables in the current month was dampened by a major industrial dispute in shipbuilding and repairing in British Columbia.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Ontario and Alberta advanced in February. The adjusted index for Quebec was unchanged while the indexes for the remaining provinces declined.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries was \$85.72 in February, up 62 cents from January 1964 and \$2.85 from February 1963. The payroll index for February, at 247.4, was up 0.4 p.c. from January 1964 and 8.5 p.c. above the February 1963 figure of 228.1.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
February, 1964 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Feb. 1964	Jan. 1964	Feb. 1963	Feb. 1964	Jan. 1964	Feb. 1964	Jan. 1964	Feb. 1963
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	61.9	70.1	61.2	69.8	67.9	94.12	85.00	85.88
Mining .....	113.2	112.7	112.5	116.6	115.7	106.00	105.99	102.81
Manufacturing .....	117.6	117.0	112.2	120.8	120.4	88.96	88.83	85.41
Durable goods .....	124.8	123.9	117.6	127.7	127.1	95.74	95.86	91.96
Non-durable goods .....	111.6	111.3	107.7	115.1	114.8	82.61	82.29	79.42
Construction .....	105.9	108.8	100.5	132.2	133.7	94.35	92.57	89.74
Transportation, storage, communication .....	105.4	105.6	103.3	111.5	112.1	94.50	93.27	91.96
Public utility operation .	139.5	139.2	137.6	144.9	144.2	105.07	104.53	101.91
Trade .....	145.6	147.0	138.0	151.9	150.7	72.90	72.39	71.31
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	183.3	183.4	175.2	184.1	183.8	79.95	79.67	77.25
Service (2) .....	169.6	167.6	153.5	178.3	175.5	60.54	60.10	59.03
Industrial composite	123.0	123.3	117.4	129.4	129.0	85.72	85.10	82.87
<u>Provinces and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	103.4	103.7	96.9	112.6	110.8	72.67	72.06	70.17
Newfoundland .....	125.8	126.0	113.6	143.5	139.7	77.49	76.45	74.34
Prince Edward Island ...	112.9	117.8	103.6	135.9	142.4	63.60	62.73	63.51
Nova Scotia .....	94.6	94.8	89.2	101.6	101.1	71.36	71.00	68.78
New Brunswick .....	103.8	104.2	98.8	110.0	107.5	72.19	71.58	70.05
Quebec .....	121.7	122.5	116.5	128.7	128.7	83.24	82.49	80.18
Ontario .....	126.9	126.8	121.1	131.8	130.8	88.86	88.66	85.68
Prairie region .....	129.6	130.7	124.2	139.0	139.1	82.39	81.56	80.71
Manitoba .....	110.1	111.6	105.2	117.1	117.8	78.82	77.82	76.80
Saskatchewan .....	120.3	121.3	114.0	133.5	133.9	80.69	80.06	78.73
Alberta .....	157.5	158.0	151.8	167.8	166.7	86.00	85.28	84.65
British Columbia .....	118.0	118.0	112.1	124.6	125.5	93.20	91.44	90.59
Canada .....	123.0	123.3	117.4	129.4	129.0	85.72	85.10	82.87

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

MARCH, 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose by 0.3 % from 123.0 in February to 123.4 in March. Most major industrial divisions advanced but the gains were offset to some extent by decreases in forestry, mining and public utility operation. A large reduction in forestry is usual in March as logging operations are greatly curtailed in Eastern Canada.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment for the end of March was virtually unchanged at 129.6. Among the major industrial divisions, the only significant advance occurred in forestry, due largely to strengthening in the Quebec Region. The increase in forestry was balanced by decreases in construction and mining; in the latter division, the reduction resulted from major layoffs in coal in Nova Scotia. There was little change in the remaining industrial divisions.

The adjusted index for manufacturing advanced from 121.0 in February to 121.2 in March. The small rise was due to mild strengthening in non-durables as a result of larger-than-seasonal increases in textile, paper and chemical products.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for most provinces declined from February to March. The only increases were recorded in Newfoundland, Quebec and Ontario. However, the gains in these provinces offset losses elsewhere.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries declined by 50 cents to \$85.25 in March. The latest figure was \$2.31 above March 1963. The payroll index for March, at 247.0, was down 0.3 p.c. from February 1964, but up 7.8 p.c. from March 1963.

Prepared in the Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
March, 1964 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Mar. 1964	Feb. 1964	Mar. 1963	Mar. 1964	Feb. 1964	Mar. 1964	Feb. 1964	Mar. 1963
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	47.8	61.1	44.1	78.7	68.9	97.36	94.80	91.47
Mining .....	109.0	113.3	111.9	111.7	115.5	107.52	106.14	101.46
Manufacturing .....	118.5	117.7	112.8	121.2	121.0	88.78	89.00	85.86
Durable goods .....	125.9	124.9	118.3	127.8	127.8	95.28	95.75	92.29
Non-durable goods .....	112.2	111.7	108.3	115.7	115.2	82.68	82.69	79.98
Construction .....	107.3	105.8	103.7	131.1	132.1	88.94	94.51	90.06
Transportation, storage communication .....	106.0	105.4	103.6	111.2	111.5	94.00	94.49	91.41
Public utility operation .	138.1	139.5	137.6	143.4	144.9	105.45	104.97	102.01
Trade .....	147.9	145.7	139.3	152.3	152.0	72.90	72.90	70.96
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	183.9	183.7	175.4	184.6	184.5	81.17	79.93	77.32
Service (2) .....	171.9	170.3	155.4	179.2	179.0	60.59	60.56	58.90
Industrial composite	123.4	123.0	117.8	129.6	129.5	85.25	85.75	82.94
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	99.5	103.6	96.6	110.1	112.8	71.89	72.70	70.39
Newfoundland .....	124.1	126.1	114.4	150.4	143.9	78.69	77.76	75.46
Prince Edward Island ...	111.2	109.7	104.8	131.3	132.1	62.02	62.47	63.06
Nova Scotia .....	88.9	94.5	88.3	96.4	101.5	70.15	71.40	68.20
New Brunswick .....	101.1	104.6	98.6	109.4	111.0	70.72	72.12	70.78
Quebec .....	122.6	121.7	116.3	130.2	128.7	82.58	83.27	80.51
Ontario .....	127.8	126.9	121.8	132.3	131.8	88.46	88.84	85.75
Prairie region .....	130.0	129.8	125.0	138.4	139.2	81.73	82.38	80.27
Manitoba .....	110.3	110.2	106.1	116.4	117.2	77.95	78.80	76.62
Saskatchewan .....	121.3	120.2	115.9	132.4	133.4	80.37	80.73	77.77
Alberta .....	157.8	157.9	152.1	167.4	168.3	85.38	85.98	84.24
British Columbia .....	118.7	118.0	113.9	123.3	124.6	93.05	93.52	90.24
Canada .....	123.4	123.0	117.8	129.6	129.5	85.25	85.75	82.94

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

APRIL, 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose from 123.5 in March to 124.6 at the end of April. The increase marked the beginning of the seasonal upturn in employment as gains of 5.8 per cent and 2.4 per cent were recorded in construction and transportation, storage and communication respectively.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite declined from 129.4 in March to 129.1 in April. The decrease resulted primarily from reductions in construction and trade. In the former, employment failed to rise in highway, bridge and street construction to the same extent as in earlier years. In the latter, there was a contra-seasonal decline in the retail component. These losses, together with smaller decreases in public utility operation and transportation, storage and communication were offset to some extent by substantial increases in forestry and mining. In the latter, the gain resulted from the recall of coal miners in Nova Scotia who were laid off temporarily in March.

Regionally, only the seasonally-adjusted index for the Atlantic Region was improved from March. The indexes for Quebec and Ontario declined, while those for the Prairie Region and British Columbia were virtually unchanged.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by \$1.01 to \$86.28 in April, a larger-than-usual increase for the time of year. The rise in April reflected a return to a more usual work week in construction after considerable short time in March due to Good Friday. For a similar reason, the payroll index rose markedly by 2.1 per cent to 252.3.

Compared to last year, per capita earnings were \$2.75 higher and payrolls were 7.8 per cent higher.

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June, 1964  
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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
April, 1964 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wag and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Apr. 1964	Mar. 1964	Apr. 1963	Apr. 1964	Mar. 1964	Apr. 1964	Mar. 1964	Apr. 1963
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	38.1	46.8	34.3	78.2	74.4	96.17	97.66	93.84
Mining .....	111.5	109.1	109.9	115.7	111.5	105.28	107.50	102.48
Manufacturing .....	118.9	118.4	113.7	121.2	121.2	89.56	88.82	86.72
Durable goods .....	126.5	125.9	119.3	127.9	127.9	96.48	95.28	93.70
Non-durable goods .....	112.6	112.1	109.0	115.5	115.5	83.06	82.76	80.33
Construction .....	114.0	107.7	112.4	125.8	129.4	93.60	88.65	89.05
Transportation, storage communication .....	108.5	106.0	106.4	110.8	111.3	95.10	94.13	91.77
Public utility operation .	141.6	139.8	141.1	145.2	145.8	105.40	105.35	101.66
Trade .....	148.0	148.4	141.1	150.9	152.9	73.69	72.95	71.41
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	184.5	184.0	175.4	185.6	184.5	82.57	81.20	79.22
Service (2) .....	175.1	172.4	158.8	179.5	179.1	61.05	60.67	59.16
Industrial composite	124.6	123.5	119.5	129.1	129.4	86.28	85.27	83.53
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	100.9	99.5	95.6	111.1	108.9	72.06	72.05	70.52
Newfoundland .....	128.0	123.7	117.8	148.4	146.8	78.79	79.06	76.06
Prince Edward Island ...	118.1	111.0	112.3	138.6	135.6	62.65	63.16	62.25
Nova Scotia .....	93.4	89.1	88.9	98.3	95.5	70.05	70.21	69.22
New Brunswick .....	96.6	101.1	92.8	108.6	107.5	71.19	70.79	69.53
Quebec .....	123.8	122.6	118.7	128.9	129.9	84.22	82.58	81.19
Ontario .....	129.1	128.0	123.7	131.6	132.1	89.46	88.48	86.62
Prairie region .....	130.8	130.0	125.9	137.6	137.8	82.06	81.82	80.08
Manitoba .....	111.2	110.3	108.0	115.5	116.2	78.70	77.97	77.22
Saskatchewan .....	125.5	121.6	120.8	132.0	132.6	80.28	80.26	77.99
Alberta .....	156.8	157.7	149.8	166.7	166.2	85.62	85.64	83.38
British Columbia .....	119.5	118.7	115.1	123.2	123.3	93.91	92.88	90.42
Canada .....	124.6	123.5	119.5	129.1	129.4	86.28	85.27	83.53

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ADVANCE STATEMENT (OF) EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

MAY 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) advanced by 3.5 per cent to 128.9 in May, as most outdoor industries began to intensify operations. Employment increased in all major industrial divisions over the month, with over three quarters of the overall gains originating among the goods-producing industrial divisions.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite was unchanged at 129.0, reflecting offsetting movements among the major industrial divisions. A large advance in forestry and smaller gains in public utility operation, trade, service and finance, insurance and real estate were offset by declines in mining, construction and transportation, storage and communication.

The seasonally-adjusted index for manufacturing was virtually unchanged in May, as a small increase in non-durables was offset by a decrease in durables. The decline in the seasonally-adjusted durables index reflected developments in wood products where a major industrial dispute in British Columbia caused the April-to-May advance in the saw and planing mills industry to be substantially below the seasonal average. The losses in wood products were offset to some extent by an above-average increase in transportation equipment following settlement of a major industrial dispute in British Columbia shipbuilding.

Quebec was the only region for which the seasonally-adjusted index of employment rose from April to May. The advance in that region resulted from an above-average increase in forestry. The adjusted index for Ontario was unchanged while those for the remaining regions declined.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 47 cents from April to May. The May figure, at \$86.80, was \$3.11 above May 1963. The payroll index for May, at 262.6, was 4.0 per cent above April 1964 and 8.1 per cent above the May 1963 figure of 242.9.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
May 1964 (1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	May 1964	Apr. 1964	May 1963	May 1964	Apr. 1964	May 1964	Apr. 1964	May 1963
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	60.8	37.7	51.8	82.1	77.3	91.57	96.73	81.5
Mining .....	114.7	111.7	113.7	114.4	115.9	105.03	105.08	104.5
Manufacturing .....	121.3	118.6	116.3	120.8	120.9	90.10	89.66	88.5
Durable goods .....	128.8	126.1	122.2	127.0	127.5	97.40	96.56	96.5
Non-durable goods .....	115.0	112.4	111.3	115.6	115.3	83.25	83.19	82.5
Construction .....	128.0	114.4	126.7	124.7	126.2	95.51	93.62	93.5
Transportation, storage communication .....	111.3	108.6	109.5	110.5	110.9	95.45	94.97	94.5
Public utility operation ..	146.7	141.5	145.6	145.5	145.1	105.11	105.48	104.5
Trade .....	150.2	148.1	143.3	151.4	151.0	74.07	73.79	73.5
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	184.9	184.3	176.5	186.3	185.4	82.43	82.62	81.5
Service (2) .....	182.2	175.7	165.1	180.8	180.2	61.08	61.08	60.5
Industrial composite	128.9	124.6	123.7	129.0	129.0	86.80	86.33	86.5
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	107.5	100.8	104.1	108.5	111.0	71.35	72.29	71.5
Newfoundland .....	137.0	127.8	132.8	142.4	148.2	77.14	78.98	77.5
Prince Edward Island ...	141.2	118.2	137.1	135.7	138.7	61.54	62.67	61.5
Nova Scotia .....	96.4	93.0	94.0	95.4	97.8	70.85	70.41	70.5
New Brunswick .....	106.0	97.1	101.4	108.2	109.1	69.23	71.30	69.5
Quebec .....	128.8	123.9	122.7	129.8	129.0	84.94	84.23	84.5
Ontario .....	132.0	129.0	126.5	131.5	131.5	90.12	89.51	89.5
Prairie region .....	137.0	130.7	133.3	136.4	137.5	82.57	82.06	82.5
Manitoba .....	116.0	111.3	112.2	116.2	115.6	78.58	78.62	78.5
Saskatchewan .....	132.7	125.4	129.3	129.8	131.9	80.68	80.37	80.5
Alberta .....	164.1	156.4	160.2	163.8	166.3	86.70	85.64	86.5
British Columbia .....	123.2	119.6	119.4	122.7	123.3	94.70	93.95	94.5
Canada .....	128.9	124.6	123.7	129.0	129.0	86.80	86.33	86.5

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS.

JUNE 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment rose to 133.0 in June, up 3.0 p.c. from the May figure of 129.1. As is usual during the spring period, all major industrial divisions increased over the month; forestry led the way with an increase of 34.4 p.c. as establishments in Eastern Canada increased the work force for the summer cut.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite was virtually unchanged at 129.1. The adjusted indexes for most major industrial divisions likewise showed little movement. Exceptions were forestry which declined and public utility operation which rose. The decline in forestry followed an unusually large advance in May which reflected an early start by some major producers in Quebec. Consequently, the number of employees required in June to meet summer production schedules was smaller than usual.

In manufacturing, the major components showed offsetting movements with durables increasing from 127.2 to 127.6 and non-durables decreasing from 115.6 to 115.0. In durables, employment levels in transportation equipment were well maintained although this industry usually declines in June; in addition, there was a larger-than-seasonal increase in electrical apparatus and supplies. In non-durables, employment rose less than seasonally in food and beverages, and paper products and declined contra-seasonally in printing, publishing and allied industries. The weakening in the last named industry was a result of industrial disputes.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for most provinces declined moderately in June. However, the overall reduction was offset to some extent by increases in Nova Scotia, Ontario, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries declined by 17 cents to \$86.63 in June. This figure was \$2.93 above the June 1963 figure of \$83.70. The payroll index for June, at 270.4, was 2.8 p.c. above May 1964 and 7.9 p.c. above June 1963.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
June 1964(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	June 1964	May 1964	June 1963	June 1964	May 1964	June 1964	May 1964	June 1963
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	82.8	61.6	77.1	76.5	83.2	89.52	90.80	90.06
Mining .....	118.7	114.8	117.3	114.9	114.5	105.22	104.98	101.39
Manufacturing .....	123.9	121.4	118.9	120.7	120.9	89.68	90.05	86.29
Durable goods .....	131.5	129.0	124.2	127.6	127.2	96.84	97.26	93.05
Non-durable goods .....	117.6	115.0	114.4	115.0	115.6	82.99	83.28	80.14
Construction .....	138.5	129.1	133.7	126.2	125.7	93.57	95.68	90.63
Transportation, storage communication .....	114.1	111.3	112.0	110.6	110.4	95.72	95.54	92.42
Public utility operation	151.5	146.7	148.7	147.2	145.5	107.03	105.27	102.31
Trade .....	152.2	150.2	146.1	151.5	151.4	74.54	74.10	72.23
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	186.4	185.0	178.1	187.1	186.4	82.54	82.39	79.33
Service(2) .....	189.6	183.5	173.7	181.2	182.1	60.72	61.11	58.49
Industrial composite	133.0	129.1	127.7	129.1	129.3	86.63	86.80	83.70
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	115.0	108.4	110.8	109.2	109.4	71.21	71.18	69.90
Newfoundland .....	155.0	138.8	149.9	141.6	144.2	77.63	77.04	76.99
Prince Edward Island ...	143.1	141.2	142.8	130.4	135.7	61.78	61.26	58.88
Nova Scotia .....	99.5	96.6	97.2	96.2	95.6	70.48	70.83	68.68
New Brunswick .....	114.7	107.3	108.1	109.4	109.6	68.66	68.84	67.66
Quebec .....	133.2	129.0	127.6	129.5	130.0	84.49	84.99	80.83
Ontario .....	135.2	132.1	129.2	132.1	131.6	90.22	90.12	87.02
Prairie region .....	142.1	137.3	137.5	136.8	136.7	82.75	82.60	81.43
Manitoba .....	119.0	116.0	115.4	115.7	116.2	78.94	78.67	78.15
Saskatchewan .....	138.5	133.5	132.9	131.1	130.6	81.28	80.62	79.69
Alberta .....	171.4	164.5	165.9	164.5	164.2	86.49	86.71	84.85
British Columbia .....	126.2	123.1	123.2	122.2	122.6	94.24	94.67	92.04
Canada .....	133.0	129.1	127.7	129.1	129.3	86.63	86.80	83.70

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT (OF) EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS,

JULY 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 133.7 in July, up fractionally from the June figure of 133.4. A small rise is not unusual between these months because reductions in manufacturing resulting from shutdowns in the automobile industries for model changeover tend to offset increases in other divisions. Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite rose slightly to 129.7, thus continuing the sluggish upward movement in evidence since February of this year when it stood at 129.2.

The adjusted indexes for the forestry, trade and service divisions made significant gains in July, although in trade, part of the increase reflected the settlement of a major industrial dispute in retailing. There was little or no change in manufacturing, in transportation, storage and communication and in finance, insurance and real estate; the adjusted indexes for construction and public utility operations declined.

Regionally, the seasonally-adjusted industrial composite for British Columbia advanced by 1.4 p.c., as major industrial disputes terminated in the wood and paper products industries. The adjusted indexes for other regions were virtually unchanged from June.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for July was \$86.75, up 12 cents from June 1964 and \$3.40 from July 1963. The payroll index, at 272.1, increased by 0.3 p.c. from June and 8.9 p.c. from the July 1963 index of 249.8.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
July 1964(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	July 1964	June 1964	July 1963	July 1964	June 1964	July 1964	June 1964	July 1963
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.1	83.0	79.5	79.5	76.7	93.02	89.11	89.05
Mining .....	120.8	119.7	118.0	116.5	115.8	106.27	105.18	102.25
Manufacturing .....	122.6	124.2	116.9	120.9	121.0	89.12	89.75	85.30
Durable goods .....	127.6	131.8	119.9	127.7	127.8	96.24	97.01	91.89
Non-durable goods .....	118.3	117.8	114.5	115.3	115.2	82.71	82.95	79.52
Construction .....	144.4	139.5	138.8	126.0	127.1	96.01	93.98	91.43
Transportation, storage communication .....	116.2	114.3	113.9	110.7	110.7	95.52	95.50	92.17
Public utility operation	153.5	151.4	151.7	145.8	147.1	104.50	106.71	101.11
Trade .....	152.1	152.7	145.1	153.0	152.0	74.87	74.48	72.27
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	187.1	186.5	179.5	187.5	187.2	82.71	82.60	79.09
Service(2) .....	193.0	190.6	176.6	183.4	182.2	61.04	60.71	58.34
Industrial composite	133.7	133.4	127.8	129.7	129.5	86.75	86.63	83.35
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	117.5	115.8	113.7	110.0	110.0	72.75	71.38	69.79
Newfoundland .....	161.4	157.4	155.4	141.6	143.8	78.48	77.51	75.77
Prince Edward Island ...	145.1	145.9	153.5	125.1	132.9	63.15	60.95	58.76
Nova Scotia .....	102.2	100.2	99.6	98.0	96.9	71.05	70.38	68.68
New Brunswick .....	115.0	114.5	109.8	109.5	109.2	71.76	69.42	68.15
Quebec .....	134.3	133.5	128.4	130.0	129.8	84.74	84.40	80.73
Ontario .....	133.5	135.6	127.3	132.3	132.4	90.01	90.23	86.54
Prairie region .....	144.8	142.6	140.0	136.9	137.3	83.10	82.70	81.02
Manitoba .....	120.8	119.2	118.0	115.4	115.9	79.43	78.81	78.31
Saskatchewan .....	140.7	139.1	136.3	130.3	131.7	82.15	81.29	79.81
Alberta .....	175.4	172.1	168.0	165.8	165.1	86.48	86.47	83.77
British Columbia .....	131.7	126.5	124.1	124.2	122.5	94.34	94.43	91.23
Canada .....	133.7	133.4	127.8	129.7	129.5	86.75	86.63	83.35

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AUGUST 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949 = 100) was 136.3 at the end of August, up 1.7 per cent from the July figure of 134.0. All major industrial divisions shared in the advance except mining which showed a relatively large decline. Manufacturing accounted for well over half the overall gain as employees were recalled in the motor vehicles and related industries following completion of retooling in most establishments; also contributing to the rise in manufacturing, were increases in food and beverages - associated with fruit and vegetable canning - and advances in clothing.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite rose from 130.0 in July to 130.6 in August. This relatively large increase resulted from gains in manufacturing (0.9 p.c.), trade (0.8 p.c.), and finance, insurance and real estate (1.0 p.c.). The marked rise in manufacturing reflected movements in the durables component for which the seasonally-adjusted index rose by 1.6 p.c. due to above-average increases in transportation equipment and electrical apparatus and supplies. The adjusted indexes for forestry, mining and construction declined over the month. The decline in mining was due mainly to a major industrial dispute in the metals group.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment rose by 0.5 p.c., 0.8 p.c., and 0.6 p.c. for the Atlantic region, Ontario and British Columbia respectively, between July and August. The adjusted index for Quebec was virtually unchanged, while that for the Prairie region declined by 1.2 p.c. The decrease in the Prairie region reflected, for the most part, major industrial disputes in the metal mining and processing industries.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries was \$87.16 in August, up 40 cents from July 1964 and \$3.80 from August 1963. The payroll index advanced by 2.2 p.c. to 278.8 in August, the latest figure being 9.5 p.c. above August of last year.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
August 1964(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Aug. 1964	July 1964	Aug. 1963	Aug. 1964	July 1964	Aug. 1964	July 1964	Aug. 1963
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	91.5	89.8	84.5	78.0	80.2	94.46	93.43	86.34
Mining .....	118.2	121.7	118.0	114.3	117.4	104.23	105.92	101.80
Manufacturing .....	126.2	122.6	120.0	122.1	121.0	89.62	89.11	85.47
Durable goods .....	132.0	127.5	123.0	129.7	127.6	97.44	96.27	92.32
Non-durable goods .....	121.3	118.5	117.5	115.8	115.5	82.50	82.67	79.46
Construction .....	148.7	145.7	144.4	126.4	127.2	97.17	96.45	91.80
Transportation, storage communication .....	116.3	116.2	113.9	111.1	110.8	96.86	95.44	92.73
Public utility operation	153.8	153.6	151.0	146.6	145.9	105.35	104.44	101.06
Trade .....	153.4	152.2	146.2	154.4	153.1	74.34	74.86	71.77
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	190.2	187.1	181.8	189.3	187.5	84.33	82.67	78.94
Service(2) .....	198.5	195.1	180.8	185.8	185.4	60.70	61.01	58.34
Industrial composite	136.3	134.0	130.3	130.6	130.0	87.16	86.76	83.36
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	118.5	117.7	114.1	110.6	110.1	72.52	72.80	69.23
Newfoundland .....	159.1	161.6	149.7	143.6	141.7	78.93	78.59	76.62
Prince Edward Island ...	156.6	149.3	151.6	134.4	128.8	60.89	62.08	59.61
Nova Scotia .....	102.3	102.3	100.1	97.7	98.1	71.22	71.12	68.04
New Brunswick .....	118.0	115.2	113.0	110.1	109.7	70.94	71.86	66.82
Quebec .....	136.8	134.6	130.8	130.4	130.3	85.03	84.70	80.98
Ontario .....	137.5	133.8	130.4	133.7	132.6	90.48	90.02	86.50
Prairie region .....	145.0	145.5	141.5	136.0	137.6	83.68	83.22	81.34
Manitoba .....	119.5	121.3	118.9	113.2	115.9	79.82	79.66	78.51
Saskatchewan .....	140.8	141.0	137.8	130.0	130.6	82.02	82.25	80.19
Alberta .....	177.4	176.6	170.1	166.3	167.1	87.42	86.54	84.17
British Columbia .....	132.9	131.9	127.4	125.2	124.4	94.83	94.30	90.39
Canada .....	136.3	134.0	130.3	130.6	130.0	87.16	86.76	83.36

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ADVANCE STATEMENT (OF) EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

SEPTEMBER 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment declined from 136.4 in August to 136.0 at the end of September. The change between these months is usually small as most industries are operating at seasonal peaks of production at this time.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite advanced from 130.8 in August to 131.0 in September. The increase resulted from small to moderate gains in most major industrial divisions. Declines occurred in forestry, mining and service.

The small increase in manufacturing (0.2 p.c.) resulted from an advance in durables of 0.4 p.c. In that component, all major industry groups strengthened except transportation equipment, for which an increase from August to September did not differ significantly from usual seasonal movements.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composites for all regions except the Atlantic Region advanced in September. The increases were moderate, however, varying from 0.2 p.c. in British Columbia to 0.6 p.c. in the Prairie Region. The reduction in the Atlantic region reflected movements in Newfoundland and Nova Scotia, where the seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment declined by 1.7 p.c. and 2.0 p.c., respectively.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for September, rose by 87 cents to \$88.04. The September figure was \$3.82 above September 1963. The payroll index for the current month was up 0.6 p.c. from August and 9.1 p.c. from the same month last year.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
September 1964(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Sept. 1964	Aug. 1964	Sept. 1963	Sept. 1964	Aug. 1964	Sept. 1964	Aug. 1964	Sept. 1963
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	91.6	88.5	88.5	73.6	75.5	95.58	95.28	90.63
Mining .....	116.3	118.4	116.7	114.1	114.5	106.16	104.09	103.21
Manufacturing .....	126.2	126.4	120.3	122.5	122.3	90.97	89.65	86.71
Durable goods .....	132.9	132.1	124.5	130.2	129.7	99.12	97.56	94.13
Non-durable goods .....	120.7	121.6	116.8	116.0	116.1	83.47	82.46	80.09
Construction .....	146.1	148.9	143.2	127.0	126.6	98.65	97.56	94.48
Transportation, storage communication .....	115.4	116.4	112.8	112.0	111.1	97.76	96.82	92.76
Public utility operation	151.0	153.5	147.0	148.1	146.3	106.73	105.44	102.85
Trade .....	156.5	153.6	149.5	155.0	154.6	73.93	74.37	71.08
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	189.7	190.4	181.5	189.8	189.5	84.43	84.59	79.14
Service(2) .....	192.6	200.8	175.2	187.2	187.9	61.64	60.69	58.87
Industrial composite	136.0	136.4	130.3	131.0	130.8	88.04	87.17	84.22
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	117.1	118.9	114.0	109.7	110.9	73.10	72.50	70.08
Newfoundland .....	157.9	158.9	151.0	140.9	143.4	79.05	79.12	76.62
Prince Edward Island ...	156.1	159.5	146.5	137.6	136.9	61.59	60.60	59.01
Nova Scotia .....	100.4	102.5	101.0	95.9	97.9	71.82	71.20	69.28
New Brunswick .....	117.1	118.9	111.3	111.6	110.9	71.79	70.87	67.79
Quebec .....	136.5	136.6	130.3	130.9	130.2	86.04	85.14	82.06
Ontario .....	137.9	137.7	131.5	134.4	133.9	91.52	90.46	87.36
Prairie region .....	144.4	145.3	140.8	137.1	136.3	83.68	83.55	81.83
Manitoba .....	120.3	119.9	118.9	114.6	113.5	80.15	79.65	79.03
Saskatchewan .....	139.6	141.0	136.5	131.5	130.1	82.43	81.86	80.96
Alberta .....	175.4	177.7	168.8	166.4	166.6	87.07	87.36	84.52
British Columbia .....	131.6	133.8	126.0	126.3	126.0	95.83	94.81	91.01
Canada .....	136.0	136.4	130.3	131.0	130.8	88.04	87.17	84.22

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OCTOBER 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 134.4 in October, down 1.3 p.c. from the September figure of 136.2. The decrease resulted from declines in all major divisions except trade. Widespread reductions are usual between these months as many establishments begin to reduce staffs associated with summer activities. There was an increase in trade as retail establishments took on additional workers to cope with the heavy year-end buying associated with Christmas.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite was off 0.2 p.c. from 131.2 to 131.0. The slackening reflected declines in the adjusted indexes for forestry (7.4%), manufacturing (0.7%), transportation, storage and communication (0.7%) and finance, insurance and real estate (0.9%). At least three quarters of the overall reduction resulted from the decreases in forestry and manufacturing. In the former, the weakening was centred in Quebec and the Atlantic Region, and continued a trend which has been in evidence for several months. In the latter, the decreases resulted from extensive layoffs in the automobile industries due to shortages of materials and orders arising from industrial disputes in the United States.

The only substantial increase occurred in construction where the adjusted index rose by 2.9 p.c. The large advance originated mainly in the building and general engineering component. In that component, employment showed virtually no change between September and October whereas in every year since 1956 it has fallen from 2 to 4 per cent between these months.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment for Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario declined in October, although the decrease in Quebec was slight. The seasonally-adjusted indexes for all western provinces and Nova Scotia rose in October; the percentage gains amounted to 1 p.c. or more for each province except British Columbia where the index rose by 0.6 p.c.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 56 cents to \$88.56 in October; this figure was \$3.91 above last year's October figure of \$84.65. The payroll index for October was down 0.7 p.c. from September 1964, but up 8.7 p.c. from October 1963.

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
October 1964(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Oct. 1964	Sept. 1964	Oct. 1963	Oct. 1964	Sept. 1964	Oct. 1964	Sept. 1964	Oct. 1963
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	88.3	92.1	89.2	68.5	74.0	100.24	95.46	91.43
Mining .....	115.3	116.3	115.4	114.7	114.1	108.08	106.24	103.59
Manufacturing .....	123.5	126.3	119.3	121.8	122.6	91.22	91.01	87.43
Durable goods .....	130.1	132.9	124.6	128.7	130.3	98.97	99.24	94.57
Non-durable goods .....	118.1	120.8	114.9	116.0	116.1	84.10	83.45	80.95
Construction .....	145.2	146.7	138.3	131.1	127.4	100.53	99.07	94.22
Transportation, storage communication .....	113.2	115.4	111.9	111.1	111.9	98.26	97.39	93.81
Public utility operation	149.2	150.9	145.0	148.1	148.0	107.65	106.79	103.36
Trade .....	158.5	157.0	151.0	155.9	155.5	73.95	73.73	71.29
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	189.2	189.9	182.4	188.2	190.0	85.05	84.33	78.96
Service(2) .....	189.4	193.5	172.0	189.0	188.0	62.00	61.39	59.36
Industrial composite	134.4	136.2	129.4	131.0	131.2	88.56	88.00	84.65
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	115.2	117.5	113.3	109.2	110.1	73.58	72.52	70.10
Newfoundland .....	151.2	157.2	150.4	136.2	140.2	80.04	78.58	77.19
Prince Edward Island ...	151.4	156.3	153.3	133.1	137.8	60.52	61.49	58.27
Nova Scotia .....	101.3	101.2	100.4	97.9	96.7	71.66	71.01	68.64
New Brunswick .....	114.1	117.7	109.9	109.8	112.1	72.99	71.41	68.40
Quebec .....	135.4	136.6	129.8	130.9	131.0	86.64	85.92	82.74
Ontario .....	136.1	138.1	130.9	133.6	134.6	91.61	91.63	87.75
Prairie region .....	143.0	144.5	138.1	139.1	137.2	84.53	83.55	82.11
Manitoba .....	119.7	120.3	117.3	116.0	114.6	80.19	79.90	78.69
Saskatchewan .....	138.7	139.6	135.9	132.8	131.5	82.68	82.31	80.97
Alberta .....	172.8	175.7	163.8	169.8	166.7	88.85	87.02	85.49
British Columbia .....	129.0	131.9	123.5	127.4	126.6	97.76	95.88	91.42
Canada .....	134.4	136.2	129.4	131.0	131.2	88.56	88.00	84.65

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ADVANCE STATEMENT <sup>on</sup> (OF) EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

NOVEMBER 1964

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The preliminary industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 134.7 at the end of November, unchanged from the revised October figure. Typically, employment declines about 1.0 p.c. between October and November; this year, employment levels were maintained, largely as a result of a marked rise in transportation equipment. The substantial increase in transportation equipment followed extensive layoffs in October due to shortages of orders and parts associated with industrial disputes in the United States.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite rose by 1.0 p.c. from 131.3 in October to 132.6 in November. Most major industrial divisions increased over the month, with mining and manufacturing leading with percentage increases of 1.5 p.c. and 1.9 p.c., respectively. The major part of the gain originated in manufacturing, due primarily to an increase of 3.2 p.c. in the durables component; the advance in durables resulted from marked improvement in wood, iron and steel and non-metallic mineral products in addition to the strong recovery in transportation equipment noted above. The increase in mining reflected smaller-than-seasonal reductions in metals and non-metals.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composites for all provinces, except Prince Edward Island and Quebec, rose in November. The percentage gains ranged from 0.8 p.c. in Alberta to 3.0 p.c. in Newfoundland. The most significant advance (in terms of numbers involved) occurred in Ontario where increases in the automobile industries were a major factor.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries declined by 50 cents to \$87.98 in November. The latest figure was \$3.37 above the same month last year. The payroll index, at 278.1, was down 0.6 p.c. from October but up 8.8 p.c. from the November 1963 index of 255.5.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries,  
November 1964(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Nov. 1964	Oct. 1964	Nov. 1963	Nov. 1964	Oct. 1964	Nov. 1964	Oct. 1964	Nov. 1963
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	86.4	88.0	86.9	68.9	68.3	98.90	100.25	91.30
Mining .....	116.6	116.6	113.7	117.7	116.0	109.02	108.31	104.15
Manufacturing .....	124.4	123.6	118.6	124.2	121.9	90.94	91.15	88.24
Durable goods .....	133.0	130.2	124.2	132.9	128.8	98.01	98.83	95.97
Non-durable goods .....	117.2	118.2	113.8	116.8	116.1	84.22	84.07	81.18
Construction .....	137.9	146.2	131.1	131.9	132.0	98.56	100.14	91.47
Transportation, storage communication .....	112.4	113.3	110.6	111.9	111.1	97.64	98.25	94.24
Public utility operation	147.7	149.1	144.2	148.2	148.0	107.98	107.76	104.42
Trade .....	163.4	159.1	155.5	156.8	156.5	73.35	73.92	70.78
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	189.7	189.2	182.7	188.6	188.2	85.09	85.06	79.01
Service(2) .....	188.5	191.0	169.7	191.3	190.6	62.23	61.92	59.44
Industrial composite	134.7	134.7	128.6	132.6	131.3	87.98	88.47	84.61
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	114.3	115.5	110.8	111.3	109.4	73.44	73.58	70.26
Newfoundland .....	149.9	152.8	145.1	141.8	137.7	79.79	79.92	75.95
Prince Edward Island ...	143.9	151.4	149.4	131.6	133.1	60.24	60.52	58.86
Nova Scotia .....	100.9	101.1	98.2	99.3	97.7	72.19	71.68	68.95
New Brunswick .....	113.0	114.4	108.6	111.1	110.1	72.05	72.99	69.32
Quebec .....	134.6	136.0	129.3	131.0	131.5	86.33	86.42	82.58
Ontario .....	138.1	136.2	130.9	136.0	133.7	90.71	91.53	87.82
Prairie region .....	141.4	143.3	136.1	140.8	139.4	84.12	84.55	81.51
Manitoba .....	118.5	120.0	115.6	117.5	116.3	79.83	80.16	78.03
Saskatchewan .....	135.9	138.8	133.1	134.6	132.9	82.52	82.69	80.73
Alberta .....	171.3	173.2	161.9	171.5	170.2	88.26	88.92	84.77
British Columbia .....	128.3	129.3	122.3	128.8	127.7	96.83	97.89	91.70
Canada .....	134.7	134.7	128.6	132.6	131.3	87.98	88.47	84.61

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ADVANCE STATEMENT (OF) <sup>on</sup> EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

DECEMBER 1964

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The industrial composite index of employment declined 2.6 p.c. from the end of November to 131.2 at the end of December. As usual for the time of year, employment declined in all major industrial divisions except trade which rose slightly, and finance, insurance and real estate which was virtually unchanged. Typically, employment in trade reaches a seasonal peak in December as retailers add to their staffs to handle last minute Christmas buying and year-end sales. However, the increase in December 1964 was below average due, in large part, to industrial disputes in Quebec.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite rose by 0.6 p.c., to 133.4 in December. The large advance resulted from strengthening in manufacturing, construction and in transportation, storage and communication. The rise in manufacturing was evenly distributed between its two major components, each showing gains of more than 1 p.c. In durables, there were smaller-than-seasonal declines for each industry except transportation equipment. In non-durables, most major industry groups showed marked improvement after allowance for usual seasonal variations; the only exceptions were rubber and petroleum in which employment declined seasonally, and leather in which employment declined more than seasonally.

Both major components of construction strengthened over the month, with building and general engineering continuing the expansion that began in the second half of 1964. In transportation, storage and communication, a decline of 1.5 p.c. in the transportation component was much smaller than the usual decrease at this time.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment for most provinces rose over the month. The adjusted indexes for New Brunswick, Alberta and British Columbia were virtually unchanged. Of first importance because of the numbers involved were increases of 0.9 p.c. and 0.5 p.c. in Quebec and Ontario, respectively.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries declined by \$2.24 to \$85.70 in December due, largely, to short-time associated with the year-end holidays. However, the December per capita figure was \$4.06 above the same month last year. The payroll index at 264.0 in December was down 5.1 p.c. from November but up 10.1 p.c. from December 1963.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

March 1965

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
December 1964(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Dec. 1964	Nov. 1964	Dec. 1963	Dec. 1964	Nov. 1964	Dec. 1964	Nov. 1964	Dec. 1963
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	72.0	86.0	74.5	65.7	68.6	91.79	98.59	86.87
Mining .....	115.4	116.5	112.4	118.0	117.6	104.51	108.89	101.34
Manufacturing .....	121.9	124.4	115.9	125.5	124.1	88.80	90.91	84.67
Durable goods .....	131.3	133.0	122.7	134.4	132.9	95.11	98.02	91.11
Non-durable goods .....	114.0	117.2	110.2	118.1	116.8	82.74	84.16	78.66
Construction .....	121.3	137.8	111.6	137.8	132.0	86.40	98.52	79.42
Transportation, storage communication .....	110.9	112.5	108.7	113.0	112.0	97.26	97.69	92.37
Public utility operation ..	144.8	147.7	141.0	148.4	148.2	108.16	107.98	104.77
Trade .....	164.1	163.7	157.5	155.4	157.1	73.48	73.30	71.07
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	189.3	189.5	183.1	188.3	188.4	85.99	85.20	79.16
Service(2) .....	184.5	189.2	166.9	191.4	192.0	62.45	62.29	59.24
Industrial composite ..	131.2	134.7	125.1	133.4	132.6	85.70	87.94	81.64
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	110.1	114.5	106.4	112.3	111.5	71.69	73.30	68.55
Newfoundland .....	137.6	150.6	131.6	145.7	142.5	79.21	79.26	74.68
Prince Edward Island ....	125.7	147.1	123.2	140.3	134.6	63.12	60.26	59.70
Nova Scotia .....	99.7	101.3	96.6	100.3	99.7	68.28	72.07	65.98
New Brunswick .....	109.9	112.7	106.4	110.5	110.8	72.05	72.15	68.82
Quebec .....	130.5	134.8	124.5	132.4	131.2	83.38	86.28	79.09
Ontario .....	135.3	138.0	128.2	136.6	135.9	88.78	90.70	84.82
Prairie region .....	138.1	141.3	133.0	141.3	140.7	82.70	84.07	79.57
Manitoba .....	116.0	118.4	113.3	118.6	117.4	78.56	79.56	76.01
Saskatchewan .....	130.6	135.7	127.9	135.1	134.4	82.01	82.65	78.98
Alberta .....	168.1	171.4	158.9	171.8	171.6	86.37	88.33	82.81
British Columbia .....	124.9	128.8	119.5	129.1	129.3	93.20	96.83	87.70
Canada .....	131.2	134.7	125.1	133.4	132.6	85.70	87.94	81.64

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JANUARY 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined to 129.3 at the end of January, 1.4 p.c. below the December figure of 131.2. As is usual between these months, a major part of the overall decrease occurred in trade, reflecting the lay-off of casual employees taken on during the Christmas season.

The preliminary seasonally-adjusted industrial composite for January was 134.9 up 1.0 p.c. from the revised December figure of 133.5. Virtually all major industrial divisions contributed to the marked advance. However, the most significant increase occurred in construction where the adjusted index rose by 4.0 p.c.

The seasonally-adjusted index for manufacturing rose by 0.4 p.c. due to continued strengthening in the durables component. In durables, there were above-average increases in iron and steel and transportation equipment, while non-metallic mineral products was virtually unchanged although it usually declines by about 4.0 p.c. at this time.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment for all provinces rose over the month. The increases ranged from 0.6 p.c. in British Columbia to 3.5 p.c. in Prince Edward Island. The adjusted indexes for the heavily populated Quebec and Ontario regions increased by 1.1 p.c. and 1.0 p.c., respectively.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries increased \$3.71 to \$89.24 at the end of January. A large rise is typical at this time since earnings are usually depressed in December due to short-time associated with the year-end holidays; in addition, there were substantial layoffs in the relatively low paid trade division.

The payroll index for January, at 270.9, was 2.8 p.c. above December 1964 and 10.0 p.c. above January 1964.

Employment Section and Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
January 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Jan. 1965	Dec. 1964	Jan. 1964	Jan. 1965	Dec. 1964	Jan. 1965	Dec. 1964	Jan. 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	69.2	71.6	70.1	67.9	65.3	94.84	92.28	85.00
Mining .....	116.4	115.5	112.7	119.0	118.1	110.43	104.55	105.99
Manufacturing .....	122.5	121.8	117.0	126.0	125.5	92.41	88.66	88.83
Durable goods .....	132.7	131.3	123.9	135.8	134.4	99.90	94.89	95.86
Non-durable goods .....	114.0	113.9	111.3	117.9	118.0	85.11	82.66	82.29
Construction .....	117.4	120.1	108.8	141.8	136.4	99.15	85.04	92.57
Transportation, storage communication .....	107.8	110.8	105.6	113.5	112.9	99.08	97.23	93.27
Public utility operation	143.4	144.8	139.2	148.4	148.4	110.11	108.18	104.53
Trade .....	154.5	164.4	147.0	157.9	155.7	75.26	73.54	72.39
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	189.8	189.4	183.4	189.4	188.4	86.34	86.00	79.67
Service(2) .....	185.7	185.4	167.6	194.3	192.4	63.25	62.48	60.10
Industrial composite	129.3	131.2	123.3	134.9	133.5	89.24	85.53	85.10
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	107.3	110.0	103.7	114.0	112.2	74.11	71.62	72.06
Newfoundland .....	133.3	137.3	126.0	148.4	145.4	81.06	79.46	76.45
Prince Edward Island ...	118.0	126.4	117.8	145.9	141.0	64.33	63.09	62.73
Nova Scotia .....	97.3	99.7	94.8	102.4	100.3	73.89	67.93	71.00
New Brunswick .....	107.6	109.6	104.2	111.0	110.5	76.44	72.15	71.58
Quebec .....	128.2	130.5	122.5	133.9	132.4	86.54	83.17	82.49
Ontario .....	133.9	135.2	126.8	138.0	136.5	92.34	88.67	88.66
Prairie region .....	136.2	138.1	130.7	144.6	141.3	85.33	82.56	81.56
Manitoba .....	114.4	116.1	111.6	120.4	118.7	80.02	78.46	77.82
Saskatchewan .....	125.7	130.7	121.3	138.9	135.2	84.14	82.06	80.06
Alberta .....	167.4	167.8	158.0	176.0	171.4	90.07	86.12	85.28
British Columbia .....	122.7	124.9	118.0	129.9	129.1	98.39	92.83	91.44
Canada .....	129.3	131.2	123.3	134.9	133.5	89.24	85.53	85.10

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FEBRUARY 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949 = 100) was 129.3 in February, virtually unchanged from January. Typically, employment declines moderately between January and February due to seasonal reductions in forestry, construction and trade; in 1965, however, employment declined much less than seasonally in forestry and construction and showed little change in trade. Other industrial divisions recorded movements which did not differ substantially from usual seasonal patterns.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite advanced by 0.7 p.c. from 135.0 in January to 135.9 in February. The large advance reflected increases in the seasonally-adjusted indexes for all major industrial divisions except manufacturing, which showed a small decline. About three quarters of the increase originated in forestry, construction and trade where the adjusted indexes rose by 9.3 p.c., 1.5 p.c. and 1.6 p.c., respectively. Industrial disputes in the transportation equipment group effected a decline of 0.3 p.c. in the adjusted index for manufacturing.

In all provinces, the seasonally-adjusted indexes of employment advanced over the month. The gains ranged from fractional increases of 0.1 p.c. in Ontario and Manitoba to gains of 3.8 p.c. in Newfoundland. However, a rise of 1.4 p.c. in Quebec was of greatest importance because of the large labour force of that province.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose by 10 cents in February to \$89.31. The February figure was \$3.57 above the same month last year. The payroll index, at 271.0 was unchanged from January but up 9.5 p.c. from February 1964.

Employment Section and Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
February 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Feb. 1965	Jan. 1965	Feb. 1964	Feb. 1965	Jan. 1965	Feb. 1965	Jan. 1965	Feb. 1964
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	62.8	68.0	61.1	72.9	66.7	101.03	93.66	94.80
Mining .....	118.7	116.7	113.3	121.1	119.3	110.23	110.46	106.14
Manufacturing .....	122.4	122.5	117.7	125.7	126.1	92.07	92.46	88.98
Durable goods .....	131.8	132.6	124.9	134.8	135.7	99.36	99.98	95.75
Non-durable goods .....	114.5	114.1	111.6	118.1	118.0	85.04	85.15	82.65
Construction .....	116.4	117.5	105.8	144.0	141.9	98.67	99.02	94.51
Transportation, storage communication .....	108.1	107.8	105.4	114.0	113.7	100.28	99.12	94.49
Public utility operation	143.8	143.7	139.5	149.6	148.7	110.17	110.01	104.97
Trade .....	154.6	154.8	145.7	160.8	158.2	75.37	75.17	72.90
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	190.9	190.2	183.4	191.0	189.8	86.40	86.31	79.94
Service(2) .....	187.2	186.1	170.3	196.3	194.7	63.86	63.37	60.56
Industrial composite	129.3	129.4	123.0	135.9	135.0	89.31	89.21	85.74
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	106.1	106.8	103.6	115.2	113.5	76.46	75.45	72.70
Newfoundland .....	132.2	133.2	126.1	153.9	148.3	82.31	81.06	77.76
Prince Edward Island ...	118.2	118.4	109.7	149.1	146.4	65.07	64.24	62.47
Nova Scotia .....	96.6	97.2	94.5	102.6	102.3	74.39	73.89	71.40
New Brunswick .....	105.5	106.3	104.6	110.9	109.6	76.39	74.87	72.12
Quebec .....	128.4	128.4	121.6	135.7	134.1	86.76	86.54	83.24
Ontario .....	133.4	134.0	126.9	138.2	138.1	91.92	92.39	88.84
Prairie region .....	136.2	136.4	129.8	145.5	144.8	86.01	85.26	82.38
Manitoba .....	113.1	114.0	110.2	120.1	120.0	81.07	80.20	78.80
Saskatchewan .....	125.6	125.4	120.2	139.1	138.6	84.20	83.69	80.73
Alberta .....	169.0	168.5	157.9	178.8	177.2	90.62	89.92	85.98
British Columbia .....	124.5	122.9	118.0	131.5	130.1	99.08	98.34	93.52
Canada .....	129.3	129.4	123.0	135.9	135.0	89.31	89.21	85.74

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MARCH 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949 = 100) was 130.6 at the end of March, up 0.8 p.c. from the February figure of 129.5. The February-to-March advance was above average; typically, employment shows a small increase between these months as increases in a number of major industrial divisions tend to be offset by substantial reductions in forestry. In 1965, however, the increase in manufacturing was above-average while the decrease in forestry was smaller than usual.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite increased from 136.1 in February to 137.1 in March. Nearly all major industrial divisions shared in this advance, with the largest relative gains being recorded in forestry, mining and manufacturing. The large increase in forestry partly reflects changing seasonal patterns; thus increased mechanization coupled with greater accessibility to logging sites are gradually changing logging from a seasonal to a year-round activity, thereby greatly reducing the amplitude of the seasonal swing in employment. The increase in manufacturing resulted from the settlement of major industrial disputes in the motor vehicle and iron castings industries.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment for Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, Quebec and Ontario increased by 0.8 p.c. or more from February-to-March. The adjusted index for British Columbia was virtually unchanged, while the indexes for each of the Prairie Provinces, and for Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick were down over the month.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries was \$90.18 in March, up 88 cents from February. The latest per capita figure was up \$4.91 from the March 1964 figure of \$85.27. The payroll index at the end of March was 276.6, up 1.9 p.c. from February and 11.0 p.c. from the March 1964 figure of 247.2.

Employment Section and Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
March 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Mar. 1965	Feb. 1965	Mar. 1964	Mar. 1965	Feb. 1965	Mar. 1965	Feb. 1965	Mar. 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	52.8	62.0	46.8	84.0	72.0	101.80	100.01	97.66
Mining .....	120.1	118.9	109.1	122.7	121.3	110.88	110.50	107.50
Manufacturing .....	124.2	122.6	118.4	127.2	126.0	94.06	92.07	88.82
Durable goods .....	135.3	132.2	125.9	137.9	135.5	102.49	99.37	95.28
Non-durable goods .....	114.8	114.5	112.1	118.2	118.1	85.75	85.03	82.76
Construction .....	119.9	116.0	107.7	143.6	143.6	100.06	98.88	88.65
Transportation, storage communication .....	108.9	108.3	106.0	114.4	114.2	99.04	100.32	94.13
Public utility operation	143.9	143.8	139.8	150.1	149.6	109.52	110.26	105.35
Trade .....	156.1	155.0	148.4	160.9	161.2	75.59	75.32	72.95
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	191.8	191.2	184.0	192.2	191.3	86.72	86.20	81.20
Service(2) .....	190.0	187.9	172.4	197.6	197.1	63.65	63.90	60.67
Industrial composite	130.6	129.5	123.5	137.1	136.1	90.18	89.30	85.27
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	106.6	106.1	99.5	116.6	115.2	76.50	76.50	72.05
Newfoundland .....	131.0	131.9	123.7	155.2	153.6	80.97	82.07	79.06
Prince Edward Island ...	115.6	117.0	111.0	141.6	147.5	64.14	64.86	63.16
Nova Scotia .....	98.1	96.6	89.1	105.1	102.6	75.21	74.27	70.21
New Brunswick .....	105.7	105.6	101.1	112.3	111.0	76.42	76.85	70.79
Quebec .....	129.4	128.6	122.6	137.1	135.9	87.29	86.70	82.58
Ontario .....	135.2	133.6	128.0	139.5	138.4	93.88	91.85	88.48
Prairie region .....	136.6	136.4	130.0	144.8	145.7	85.37	86.25	81.82
Manitoba .....	113.2	113.2	110.3	119.2	120.2	80.89	81.20	77.97
Saskatchewan .....	126.5	125.6	121.6	137.9	139.1	82.70	84.22	80.26
Alberta .....	169.6	169.3	157.7	178.7	179.1	89.92	91.03	85.64
British Columbia .....	127.2	124.6	118.7	132.2	131.6	98.33	99.10	92.88
Canada .....	130.6	129.5	123.5	137.1	136.1	90.18	89.30	85.27

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

APRIL 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) was 131.8 in April, up 0.7 p.c. from the March index of 130.9. Typically, construction, transportation, storage and communication and service showed marked increases although the rise in construction was much less than is usual for the time of year. Forestry and mining recorded marked reductions; the decrease in forestry reflected the completion of the winter cut in Eastern Canada, while the reduction in mining resulted from the usual cut-backs in oil and gas drilling in Western Canada due to road bans associated with spring thaw.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite for April, at 136.6, was virtually unchanged from March as movements in the major industrial divisions were offsetting. Increases in forestry (4.7 p.c.), trade (1.4 p.c.) and service (1.0 p.c.) were balanced by a reduction in construction of (3.3 p.c.).

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for March and April shown on the back of this page are the latest of a completely revised set of seasonally-adjusted data. All series shown in this statement are revised annually in order to incorporate more recent information about seasonal patterns in industrial employment. The revisions date from January 1960. Data for the years 1962 to date will appear in the April issue of Employment and Payrolls to be released in July 1965. The years 1960 and 1961 will appear in the "Annual Review of Employment and Payrolls, "Catalogue No. 72-201, to be released later in the year.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose 31 cents in April to \$90.53. The latest figure was \$4.20 above the April 1964 per capita figure of \$86.33. The payroll index for April, at 280.1, was 1.0 p.c. above March 1965 and 11.1 p.c. above April 1964.

Employment Section and Labour Division

July 1965  
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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
April 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Apr. 1965	Mar. 1965	Apr. 1964	Apr. 1965	Mar. 1965	Apr. 1965	Mar. 1965	Apr. 1964
<u>Industrial divisions</u>						dollars		
Forestry (chiefly logging)	43.7	52.9	37.7	87.5	83.6	100.35	102.11	96.73
Mining .....	117.8	120.3	111.7	122.3	122.5	110.00	110.92	105.08
Manufacturing .....	124.4	124.3	118.6	126.4	126.7	94.20	94.10	89.66
Durable goods .....	135.4	135.4	126.1	136.3	136.8	102.54	102.56	96.56
Non-durable goods .....	115.3	115.0	112.4	118.1	118.3	86.02	85.77	83.19
Construction .....	124.9	120.2	114.4	137.7	142.4	100.42	100.28	93.62
Transportation, storage communication .....	111.2	109.0	108.6	113.6	114.1	100.48	99.21	94.97
Public utility operation	145.3	144.1	141.5	148.9	150.0	110.43	109.46	105.48
Trade .....	158.6	156.3	148.1	162.4	160.2	76.05	75.52	73.79
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	192.0	191.8	184.3	193.5	192.6	87.87	86.76	82.62
Service(2) .....	195.3	191.1	175.7	200.7	198.8	64.21	63.65	61.08
Industrial composite	131.8	130.9	124.6	136.6	136.7	90.53	90.22	86.33
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	105.8	106.8	100.8	116.0	115.9	75.60	76.51	72.29
Newfoundland .....	135.1	131.1	127.8	152.8	152.5	81.43	81.06	78.98
Prince Edward Island ...	122.3	115.6	118.2	141.7	142.5	64.38	64.14	62.67
Nova Scotia .....	97.6	98.2	93.0	103.2	103.9	73.92	75.13	70.41
New Brunswick .....	101.6	106.1	97.1	113.9	113.1	74.98	76.49	71.30
Quebec .....	130.6	129.6	123.9	136.1	136.4	87.59	87.30	84.23
Ontario .....	136.6	135.3	129.0	139.2	138.8	94.39	93.96	89.51
Prairie region .....	137.5	137.0	130.7	144.7	144.9	85.56	85.35	82.06
Manitoba .....	114.8	113.5	111.3	119.3	119.3	81.61	81.01	78.62
Saskatchewan .....	129.7	126.7	125.4	136.3	137.9	84.04	82.76	80.37
Alberta .....	168.4	170.1	156.4	178.5	178.0	89.37	89.77	85.64
British Columbia .....	129.4	127.5	119.6	133.3	132.6	98.93	98.33	93.95
Canada .....	131.8	130.9	124.6	136.6	136.7	90.53	90.22	86.33

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MAY 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) advanced to 136.6 at the end of May, up 3.4 per cent from the April figure of 132.1. An increase of this size in May is typical because outdoor industries are rapidly increasing staffs to prepare for peak summer production. Thus, forestry rose by 49.7 p.c. and construction by 11.8 p.c.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite for May, at 137.0, was virtually unchanged from April. There were fractional increases in most major individual divisions, but these were balanced for the most part by a decline in forestry. The decrease in forestry partly reflected changing seasonal patterns in the industry in Eastern Canada; in the past two years, employment levels have been unusually high in April so that the typical large increase between April and May, associated with the commencement of the "summer cut", has been reduced.

In manufacturing, the adjusted index for May, at 126.8 was up 0.2 per cent from April. The slight increase was due, mainly, to an advance in non-durables of 0.5 per cent as most component industry groups indicated some strengthening. The adjusted index for durable goods manufacturing showed little change as employment trends in the major component industries were largely offsetting.

Regionally, the seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment showed mixed trends. Increases were recorded in Ontario (0.5 p.c.) and British Columbia (0.2 p.c.). Quebec was unchanged while the indexes for the Atlantic and Prairie Regions declined.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries for May, at \$90.57 was virtually unchanged from April. However, the latest figure was \$3.77 above last years level of \$86.80. The payroll index, at 290.5 was 3.5 per cent above April 1965 and 11.0 per cent above May 1964.

Employment Section and Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
May 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	May 1965	Apr. 1965	May 1964	May 1965	Apr. 1965	May 1965	Apr. 1965	May 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	64.3	42.9	61.6	82.6	85.9	93.69	100.63	90.80
Mining .....	122.8	118.0	114.8	123.3	122.5	108.77	109.99	104.98
Manufacturing .....	127.3	124.6	121.4	126.8	126.5	93.82	94.18	90.05
Durable goods .....	138.1	135.5	129.0	136.3	136.4	101.77	102.89	97.26
Non-durable goods .....	118.3	115.4	115.0	118.8	118.2	86.06	86.05	83.28
Construction .....	140.2	125.4	129.1	137.9	138.3	100.32	100.91	95.68
Transportation, storage communication .....	114.7	111.8	111.3	114.3	114.3	101.06	100.45	95.54
Public utility operation	151.5	145.5	146.7	150.3	149.1	109.53	110.41	105.27
Trade .....	160.8	159.0	150.2	162.9	162.8	76.69	76.01	74.10
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	193.1	191.9	185.0	194.5	193.4	88.26	87.90	82.39
Service(2) .....	203.7	196.3	183.5	202.3	201.7	64.58	64.26	61.11
Industrial composite	136.6	132.1	129.1	137.0	136.9	90.57	90.55	86.80
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	114.1	106.3	108.4	115.8	116.6	74.08	75.83	71.18
Newfoundland .....	150.0	136.4	138.8	154.2	154.3	80.82	81.70	77.04
Prince Edward Island ...	149.1	122.3	141.2	142.6	141.7	63.20	64.38	61.26
Nova Scotia .....	100.9	98.1	96.6	101.7	103.8	71.95	74.17	70.83
New Brunswick .....	112.1	101.6	107.3	114.6	113.9	73.32	75.17	68.84
Quebec .....	135.4	130.8	129.0	136.3	136.3	87.97	87.56	84.99
Ontario .....	140.3	136.9	132.1	140.2	139.5	94.42	94.38	90.12
Prairie region .....	144.2	137.8	137.3	144.1	145.0	85.48	85.55	82.60
Manitoba .....	118.9	115.4	116.0	119.0	119.9	81.37	81.52	78.67
Saskatchewan .....	138.6	130.3	133.5	136.5	136.9	83.66	83.90	80.62
Alberta .....	177.0	168.2	164.5	177.6	178.3	89.49	89.49	86.71
British Columbia .....	133.7	129.6	123.1	133.8	133.5	99.98	99.19	94.67
Canada .....	136.6	132.1	129.1	137.0	136.9	90.57	90.55	86.80

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JUNE 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose 2.8 p.c. at the end of June to 140.6 as all major industrial divisions increased staffs to meet peak summer production demands. As usual, the increases were largest in outdoor industries such as forestry and construction. However, the increase in forestry of 29.4 p.c. was well below the typical increase between these months.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite for June, at 136.8, was down 0.3 p.c. from the May figure of 137.3. Most major industrial divisions contributed to the decrease but four-fifths of the overall reduction originated in forestry and transportation, storage and communication. The only increases were recorded in construction (0.2 p.c.) and finance, insurance and real estate (0.9 p.c.)

The seasonally-adjusted index for manufacturing, at 126.9, was unchanged in June as movements in the major components were offsetting. The adjusted index for durables advanced 0.6 p.c. due to an above-average increase in transportation equipment. Non-durables declined 0.6 p.c. due, mainly, to major industrial disputes in paper and rubber products.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose 38 cents in June to \$90.98. This figure was \$4.36 above last year's per capita figure of \$86.62. The payroll index, at 300.3, was 3.2 p.c. above May 1965 and 10.7 p.c. above June 1964.

Employment Section and Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
June 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	June 1965	May 1965	June 1964	June 1965	May 1965	June 1965	May 1965	June 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	83.0	64.1	83.0	75.2	82.3	95.59	93.72	89.11
Mining .....	127.5	123.4	119.7	123.4	123.9	110.86	108.77	105.18
Manufacturing .....	130.0	127.4	124.2	126.9	126.9	93.98	93.83	89.73
Durable goods .....	140.9	138.1	131.7	137.2	136.4	101.94	101.74	96.98
Non-durable goods .....	120.8	118.4	117.8	118.2	118.9	86.21	86.11	82.95
Construction .....	150.3	140.6	139.5	138.6	138.3	101.50	100.52	93.98
Transportation, storage communication .....	116.7	114.9	114.3	113.5	114.5	100.27	101.01	95.50
Public utility operation	154.3	151.0	151.4	149.0	149.8	111.13	109.75	106.71
Trade .....	163.0	160.8	152.7	162.7	162.9	77.24	76.68	74.48
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	196.1	193.5	186.5	196.7	194.9	88.54	88.29	82.60
Service(2) .....	210.9	203.8	190.6	202.3	202.4	64.89	64.60	60.71
Industrial composite	140.6	136.8	133.4	136.8	137.3	90.98	90.60	86.62
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	121.9	114.3	115.8	116.1	116.0	74.36	74.04	71.38
Newfoundland .....	168.8	150.2	157.4	152.4	154.4	80.26	80.70	77.51
Prince Edward Island ..	154.9	149.1	145.9	142.6	142.6	61.40	62.09	60.95
Nova Scotia .....	105.4	101.3	100.2	102.9	102.1	73.07	72.04	70.38
New Brunswick .....	119.3	112.1	114.5	114.4	114.6	73.05	73.29	69.42
Quebec .....	139.3	135.6	133.5	135.4	136.5	88.01	87.99	84.40
Ontario .....	143.1	140.4	135.6	140.1	140.3	94.84	94.43	90.21
Prairie region .....	149.5	144.3	142.6	144.5	144.2	86.47	85.50	82.70
Manitoba .....	122.8	118.9	119.2	119.6	119.0	82.60	81.46	78.81
Saskatchewan .....	142.7	138.3	139.1	135.5	136.2	84.93	83.88	81.29
Alberta .....	184.5	177.4	172.1	178.2	178.0	90.13	89.36	86.47
British Columbia .....	138.2	134.1	126.5	134.8	134.2	101.40	100.18	94.43
Canada .....	140.6	136.8	133.4	136.8	137.3	90.98	90.60	86.62

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JULY 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose 0.6 p.c. in July to 141.8. Typically for July, employment advanced in all industrial divisions except manufacturing and trade. In the former, the decrease reflected shutdowns in the automobile industries for model changeover. Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite increased 0.5 p.c. to 137.9 in July.

All industrial divisions shared in this advance except construction which declined 0.8 p.c. The most significant gains were recorded in manufacturing where the adjusted index rose 0.8 p.c. Both components contributed to the advance, with durables up 0.7 p.c. and non-durables up 0.9 p.c. In the former, the gains reflected smaller-than-usual layoffs for model changeover in the automobile industries. In the latter, there were above-average increases in rubber and paper products as many workers returned to their jobs following settlement of industrial disputes in the two industries.

The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite indexes of employment for all regions were higher in July. The largest increases were recorded in the Atlantic Region (1.0 p.c.), followed by Ontario (0.4 p.c.). The adjusted indexes for Quebec, the Prairie Region and British Columbia rose by 0.2 p.c.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose 2 cents in July to \$91.09. The latest figure was \$4.33 above the same month last year. The payroll index, at 303.2, was 0.6 p.c. above June 1965 and 11.1 p.c. above July 1964.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
July 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	July 1965	June 1965	July 1964	July 1965	June 1965	July 1965	June 1965	July 1964
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	89.7	83.5	89.8	77.3	75.7	98.05	95.67	93.43
Mining .....	129.5	127.4	121.7	124.0	123.3	110.04	111.11	105.92
Manufacturing .....	129.5	130.3	122.6	128.2	127.2	92.97	94.02	89.11
Durable goods .....	137.7	141.1	127.5	138.2	137.3	100.31	102.01	96.27
Non-durable goods .....	122.6	121.3	118.5	119.8	118.7	86.07	86.24	82.67
Construction .....	157.1	152.0	145.7	139.1	140.2	103.93	101.79	96.45
Transportation, storage communication .....	119.4	116.8	116.2	114.3	113.6	101.31	100.31	95.44
Public utility operation	158.1	154.4	153.6	150.3	149.1	109.84	111.17	104.44
Trade .....	161.9	163.2	152.2	163.3	162.9	77.51	77.26	74.86
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	198.4	196.4	187.1	198.7	197.0	89.26	88.69	82.67
Service(2) .....	215.2	211.8	195.1	203.9	203.1	65.13	64.94	61.01
Industrial composite	141.8	141.0	134.0	137.9	137.2	91.09	91.07	86.76
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	125.6	122.5	117.7	117.7	116.6	74.70	74.49	72.80
Newfoundland .....	178.6	170.9	161.6	156.9	154.3	80.28	80.55	78.59
Prince Edward Island ...	162.1	154.9	149.3	142.8	142.6	62.13	61.40	62.08
Nova Scotia .....	106.7	105.6	102.3	102.2	103.1	72.62	73.13	71.12
New Brunswick .....	122.9	119.7	115.2	117.7	114.8	74.40	73.10	71.86
Quebec .....	140.5	139.6	134.6	136.0	135.7	88.54	88.06	84.70
Ontario .....	142.5	143.4	133.8	141.1	140.4	94.31	94.92	90.02
Prairie region .....	153.0	150.0	145.5	145.3	145.0	87.48	86.62	83.22
Manitoba .....	125.1	123.3	121.3	119.6	120.1	82.96	82.73	79.66
Saskatchewan .....	147.1	143.4	141.0	137.7	136.1	85.94	85.03	82.25
Alberta .....	189.0	185.1	176.6	179.3	178.8	91.64	90.33	86.54
British Columbia .....	142.6	138.9	131.9	135.8	135.5	101.92	101.40	94.30
Canada .....	141.8	141.0	134.0	137.9	137.2	91.09	91.07	86.76

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AUGUST 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) rose 1.1 pc. to 143.7 at the end of August. An increase of this size is typical in August as many manufacturing firms resume operations after summer shut-downs for vacations and re-tooling. In addition, the construction industry usually records moderately large increases at this time when employment in this division advances to a seasonal peak.

Seasonally adjusted, the industrial composite was virtually unchanged at 138.4 as reductions in finance, insurance and real estate and service were offset by small to moderate increases in the remaining divisions. The largest percentage increases were recorded in mining (0.8), construction (0.7 p.c.) and public utility operation (1.1 p.c.). Manufacturing rose by 0.3 p.c. due largely to movements in the non-durables component.

In manufacturing, the seasonally-adjusted index for durables was virtually unchanged in August as larger than seasonal increases in the component industry groups were offset by a contra-seasonal decline in transportation equipment mainly as a result of major industrial disputes in aircraft and parts.

The adjusted index for non-durables rose 0.4 p.c. in August due to strengthening in most component industries.

The seasonally-adjusted indexes for most provinces declined in August. However, the declines were balanced by increases in Newfoundland (2.7 p.c.), Quebec (0.7 p.c.) and British Columbia (0.4 p.c.).

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose 10 cents in August to \$91.19. The latest figure is \$4.00 above the same month last year. The payroll index at 307.7 was 1.2 p.c. above July 1965 and 10.2 p.c. above August 1964.

Employment Section and Labour Division

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**Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
August 1965(1)**

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Aug. 1965	July 1965	Aug. 1964	Aug. 1965	July 1965	Aug. 1965	July 1965	Aug. 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	93.4	90.5	88.5	78.2	78.0	91.10	98.06	95.28
Mining .....	129.5	129.6	118.4	125.1	124.1	110.38	109.95	104.09
Manufacturing .....	131.4	129.6	126.4	128.7	128.3	93.25	92.90	89.65
Durable goods .....	137.9	137.6	132.1	138.4	138.3	101.07	101.22	97.56
Non-durable goods .....	126.0	122.8	121.6	120.5	120.0	86.08	86.04	82.46
Construction .....	164.0	159.1	148.9	141.8	140.9	105.08	104.30	97.56
Transportation, storage communication .....	119.9	119.5	116.4	114.9	114.5	101.40	101.91	96.95
Public utility operation	159.4	158.1	153.5	151.9	150.3	110.76	110.18	105.44
Trade .....	162.7	162.1	153.6	163.6	163.5	77.35	77.53	74.37
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	197.9	198.5	190.4	195.8	198.8	89.07	89.22	84.59
Service(2) .....	217.1	216.1	200.8	202.9	204.8	64.87	65.12	60.69
Industrial composite	143.7	142.1	136.4	138.4	138.3	91.22	91.18	87.19
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	127.2	126.1	118.9	118.4	118.1	75.46	74.76	72.50
Newfoundland .....	180.4	180.1	158.9	162.4	158.2	81.79	80.56	79.12
Prince Edward Island ...	163.2	164.2	159.5	140.4	144.7	61.95	61.76	60.60
Nova Scotia .....	107.1	107.0	102.5	102.3	102.4	74.20	72.44	71.20
New Brunswick .....	126.1	122.9	118.9	117.4	117.7	73.73	74.62	70.87
Quebec .....	143.5	140.8	136.6	137.2	136.3	88.71	88.71	85.14
Ontario .....	144.0	142.8	137.7	141.3	141.4	94.37	94.28	90.46
Prairie region .....	153.9	153.6	145.3	145.5	145.8	87.72	87.60	83.55
Manitoba .....	125.6	125.5	119.9	119.5	120.0	83.53	83.13	79.65
Saskatchewan .....	148.9	148.7	141.0	139.1	139.2	85.01	85.73	81.86
Alberta .....	189.8	189.3	177.7	179.4	179.6	92.11	91.86	87.36
British Columbia .....	143.8	142.5	133.8	136.2	135.7	101.73	102.36	94.81
Canada .....	143.7	142.1	136.4	138.4	138.3	91.22	91.18	87.19

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ADVANCE STATEMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

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At the end of September the industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) at 143.8 showed little change from the August figure of 144.0. The index this month was 5.6 p.c. above the comparable figure for 1964. The seasonally-adjusted industrial composite index at 138.9 showed virtually no change from August.

The main influences on the adjusted industrial composite figure were gains over last month in the adjusted indexes in the service, trade and manufacturing industrial divisions and a decline in forestry. Changes in the remaining divisions were small.

In manufacturing, a greater than normal decline of 0.5 p.c. in non-durables was more than offset by above average increase of 0.8 p.c. in durables. The increase in durables was mainly the result of gains in non-ferrous metal products, iron and steel products, and wood products. Within transportation equipment changes in the component industries were largely offsetting. The drop in the seasonally adjusted data for non-durables was mainly due to industrial disputes in the petroleum products industry and to a greater than normal decline in food and beverages.

Regionally, variations from August levels in the adjusted industrial composite indexes were small. The Atlantic Region dropped 0.7 p.c. (mainly the result of a 1.5 p.c. decline in New Brunswick), the Prairie Region remained virtually unchanged, British Columbia reported a 0.8 p.c. increase, and a gain of 0.4 p.c. in Ontario offset a 0.2 p.c. decrease in Quebec.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose 98 cents in September to \$92.28. The latest figure is \$4.28 above the same month last year. The payroll index at 311.6 was 0.9 p.c. above August 1965 and 10.7 p.c. above September 1964.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

December 1965  
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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
September 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1965	Aug. 1965	Sept. 1964
						dollars		
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	87.0	89.3	92.1	68.9	74.7	101.30	97.50	95.46
Mining .....	125.4	129.3	116.3	124.1	124.9	111.62	110.48	106.24
Manufacturing .....	132.6	131.9	126.3	129.2	129.0	94.75	93.18	91.01
Durable goods .....	141.9	138.4	132.9	139.9	138.8	102.81	100.99	99.24
Non-durable goods .....	124.7	126.4	120.8	120.3	120.9	87.07	86.03	83.45
Construction .....	161.5	164.5	146.7	142.1	142.2	107.10	105.46	99.07
Transportation, storage communication .....	118.6	119.9	115.4	114.9	115.0	102.72	101.32	97.39
Public utility operation	155.0	159.5	150.9	152.5	152.0	111.70	110.77	106.79
Trade .....	166.8	163.0	157.0	164.9	163.9	76.68	77.28	73.73
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	197.4	198.1	189.9	196.4	196.0	89.22	89.07	84.33
Service(2) .....	213.5	219.9	193.5	207.7	205.5	65.55	64.74	61.39
Industrial composite	143.8	144.0	136.2	138.9	138.7	92.28	91.30	88.00
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	125.7	128.0	117.5	118.4	119.2	75.60	75.22	72.52
Newfoundland .....	177.8	180.5	157.2	161.5	162.5	82.20	81.74	78.58
Prince Edward Island ..	158.4	164.5	156.3	140.3	141.5	64.01	61.85	61.49
Nova Scotia .....	107.1	107.9	101.2	103.1	103.0	72.79	73.74	71.01
New Brunswick .....	123.3	127.1	117.7	116.5	118.3	75.38	73.66	71.41
Quebec .....	142.6	143.6	136.6	137.0	137.3	89.81	89.11	85.92
Ontario .....	145.9	144.4	138.1	142.2	141.7	95.65	94.33	91.63
Prairie region .....	152.2	154.1	144.5	145.7	145.7	87.72	87.60	83.55
Manitoba .....	124.2	125.7	120.3	119.2	119.6	83.47	83.39	79.90
Saskatchewan .....	147.8	149.3	139.6	140.0	139.5	86.12	85.00	82.31
Alberta .....	187.7	190.2	175.7	180.0	179.8	91.71	91.96	87.02
British Columbia .....	143.0	144.2	131.9	137.6	136.5	103.52	101.81	95.88
Canada .....	143.8	144.0	136.2	138.9	138.7	92.28	91.30	88.00

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) at 143.5 showed little variation from September. The change in the seasonally-adjusted index was also small, an increase of 0.6 p.c. to 140.0.

The main influences on the index were advances in manufacturing, construction, transportation storage and communication, and service. In construction, a 1.7 p.c. increase in the seasonally adjusted index was mainly the result of a contra-seasonal increase in the building component. In transportation, storage and communication, a 0.6 p.c. advance reflected less than seasonal declines in most of the component industries, particularly in railways. The gain in manufacturing arose largely in durables where all the industrial groups reported above average employment with strongest gains in iron and steel products and in transportation equipment. In non-durables, changes from September in the component industries followed normal seasonal patterns.

In the other industrial divisions, the greatest change from September was a 2.0 p.c. decline in the adjusted index for forestry. Other divisions showed only small variations.

All regions shared in the increase over September in the adjusted composite index with gains ranging from 0.5 p.c. in Quebec to 1.2 p.c. in British Columbia. A 1.0 p.c. increase in the Atlantic Region reflected gains in all the Atlantic provinces except Prince Edward Island which declined slightly. A 1.0 p.c. rise in the Prairie Region was mainly the result of a less than seasonal decline in Alberta. The Ontario index rose by 0.9 p.c.

The industrial composite of average weekly wages and salaries rose \$1.31 in October to \$93.58. The latest figure is \$5.11 above the same month last year. The payroll index at 315.2 was 1.0 p.c. above September, 1965 and 12.7 p.c. above October, 1964.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
October 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Oct. 1965	Sept. 1965	Oct. 1964	Oct. 1965	Sept. 1965	Oct. 1965	Sept. 1965	Oct. 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	85.1	87.3	88.0	67.7	69.1	104.32	102.64	100.25
Mining .....	124.3	125.8	116.6	124.1	124.5	115.14	111.52	108.31
Manufacturing .....	132.0	132.7	123.6	130.4	129.3	96.25	94.69	91.15
Durable goods .....	143.4	142.2	130.2	142.0	140.1	104.33	102.67	98.85
Non-durable goods .....	122.5	124.7	118.2	120.7	120.3	88.33	87.07	84.07
Construction .....	161.0	161.9	146.2	144.9	142.5	109.22	107.26	100.14
Transportation, storage communication .....	117.4	118.6	113.3	115.6	114.9	104.13	102.73	98.25
Public utility operation	152.5	155.0	149.1	151.8	152.5	113.69	111.65	107.76
Trade .....	168.8	167.2	159.1	165.7	165.3	77.14	76.60	73.92
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	198.3	197.8	189.2	197.6	196.8	89.31	89.18	85.06
Service(2) .....	211.9	214.2	191.0	211.0	208.4	66.52	65.50	61.92
Industrial composite	143.5	144.0	134.7	140.0	139.1	93.58	92.27	88.47
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	125.2	126.2	115.5	120.0	118.8	76.67	75.65	73.58
Newfoundland .....	176.3	178.7	152.8	164.4	162.2	81.98	82.25	79.92
Prince Edward Island ...	157.0	158.4	151.4	139.1	140.3	64.28	64.01	60.52
Nova Scotia .....	107.3	107.2	101.1	104.1	103.2	74.91	72.82	71.68
New Brunswick .....	122.3	124.3	114.4	118.3	117.4	76.19	75.45	72.99
Quebec .....	142.3	142.9	136.0	137.9	137.2	91.53	89.90	86.42
Ontario .....	146.1	146.1	136.2	143.7	142.4	96.73	95.53	91.53
Prairie region .....	151.1	152.3	143.3	147.3	145.8	89.10	87.68	84.55
Manitoba .....	123.8	124.4	120.0	120.5	119.4	83.88	83.48	80.16
Saskatchewan .....	146.8	147.8	138.8	140.4	140.0	87.45	86.19	82.69
Alberta .....	185.6	187.8	173.2	182.6	180.1	93.88	91.58	88.92
British Columbia .....	141.4	143.1	129.3	139.4	137.7	104.46	103.72	97.89
Canada .....	143.5	144.0	134.7	140.0	139.1	93.58	92.27	88.47

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NOVEMBER 1965

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The industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) remained unchanged from October. Seasonally-adjusted, the index showed a continuation of the steady growth in employment of the past five months with an advance of 0.8 p.c. to 141.2.

The main influences on the seasonally-adjusted index were gains over October in manufacturing and construction. In manufacturing, a 0.8 p.c. increase to 131.6 took place mainly in durable-goods where all component industries contributed to a 1.3 p.c. rise. Particularly influential were a contra-seasonal increase in iron and steel, an above average gain in transportation equipment and a less than seasonal decline in wood products. In non-durable goods there was a small rise which resulted almost entirely from less than seasonal declines in food and beverages and in clothing; changes in other non-durable industries were largely offsetting. In construction, an advance of 2.1 p.c. over October reflected below-normal declines both in building and general engineering and in highways, bridges and streets.

In the other industrial divisions, the greatest changes from last month were a 1.4 p.c. increase in the adjusted mining index (mainly arising from contra-seasonal increases in metal mining) and 1.3 p.c. and 0.9 p.c. gains in service and transportation, storage and communication.

All regions shared in the advance over October of the adjusted industrial composite index. Gains ranged from 0.5 p.c. in the Atlantic Region and Ontario to 1.4 p.c. in the Prairie Region. In the Atlantic Region advances in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick more than offset declines in Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island. The increase in the Prairie Region reflected gains in all three prairie provinces. Quebec rose 1.0 p.c. and British Columbia gained 0.6 p.c.

The industrial composite figure for average weekly wages and salaries at \$93.51 was 19 cents below October's level. The latest figure is \$5.57 above the same month last year. The payroll index at 314.9 was 0.3 p.c. lower than in October and 13.2 p.c. above November 1964.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

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8003-504

Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
November 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Nov. 1965	Oct. 1965	Nov. 1964	Nov. 1965	Oct. 1965	Nov. 1965	Oct. 1965	Nov. 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	83.8	84.8	86.0	67.9	67.4	106.01	104.83	98.59
Mining .....	125.2	124.5	116.5	126.1	124.3	115.89	115.74	108.89
Manufacturing .....	132.0	132.2	124.4	131.6	130.6	96.60	96.32	90.91
Durable goods .....	144.2	143.5	133.0	143.8	141.9	104.83	104.45	98.02
Non-durable goods .....	121.7	122.7	117.2	121.3	120.9	88.44	88.36	84.16
Construction .....	154.4	160.8	137.8	147.8	144.7	108.00	109.53	98.52
Transportation, storage communication .....	117.1	117.2	112.5	116.5	115.5	104.39	104.44	97.69
Public utility operation	150.6	152.5	147.7	151.2	151.8	113.74	113.84	107.98
Trade .....	173.4	169.0	163.7	165.9	165.9	76.71	77.12	73.30
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	198.9	198.3	189.5	198.2	197.6	89.75	89.30	85.20
Service(2) .....	210.6	211.6	189.2	213.4	210.7	66.53	66.44	62.29
Industrial composite	143.5	143.5	134.7	141.2	140.1	93.51	93.70	87.94
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	123.6	125.2	114.5	120.6	120.0	76.66	76.76	73.30
Newfoundland .....	169.3	175.7	150.6	163.9	163.9	82.92	82.27	79.26
Prince Edward Island ...	153.7	159.8	147.1	140.7	141.5	63.56	64.00	60.26
Nova Scotia .....	106.9	107.4	101.3	105.0	104.2	74.67	74.87	72.07
New Brunswick .....	121.9	122.4	112.7	119.8	118.4	76.00	76.37	72.15
Quebec .....	142.5	142.4	134.8	139.4	138.0	91.49	91.67	86.28
Ontario .....	146.7	146.2	138.0	144.4	143.7	96.91	96.85	90.70
Prairie region .....	150.3	151.0	141.3	149.2	147.2	87.95	89.15	84.07
Manitoba .....	122.9	123.6	118.4	121.8	120.3	83.21	83.85	79.56
Saskatchewan .....	145.4	146.6	135.7	142.7	140.2	86.53	87.63	82.65
Alberta .....	185.3	185.8	171.4	185.0	182.8	92.24	93.96	88.33
British Columbia .....	140.4	141.2	128.8	140.0	139.2	104.47	104.67	96.83
Canada .....	143.5	143.5	134.7	141.2	140.1	93.51	93.70	87.94

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND WEEKLY EARNINGS

DECEMBER 1965

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The unadjusted industrial composite index of employment (1949=100) declined 2.5 p.c. from November to 140.1. Seasonally-adjusted, the index continued to advance this month with an increase of 0.6 p.c. to 142.2.

The main influences on the seasonally-adjusted index were gains over November in manufacturing and construction. In manufacturing an increase of 0.8 p.c. reflected advances in both durables (1.0 p.c.) and non-durables (0.7 p.c.). All the component durable industries contributed to the gain. Less than seasonal declines in iron and steel and non-metallic minerals and a contra-seasonal increase in transportation equipment were particularly important. In non-durables, the main influence was a smaller than usual decline in foods and beverages which arose largely in fruit and vegetable processing. In construction, employment declines were less than normal in both building and general engineering.

In the other industry divisions, the greatest change from last month was a 7.2 p.c. increase in the forestry adjusted index. Other changes ranged from a 0.8 decrease in transportation, storage and communication (mainly the result of an above-average decrease in water transport) to a 0.4 p.c. gain in service.

All regions except the Atlantic Region contributed to the higher seasonally-adjusted composite index. British Columbia rose 1.1 p.c., Quebec 1.0 p.c., Ontario 0.5 p.c. and the Prairie Region 0.1 p.c. All three prairie provinces shared in the gain in the Prairie Region. A 1.2 p.c. decrease in the Atlantic Region originated in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

The industrial composite figure for average weekly wages and salaries declined \$2.18 to \$91.35 in December, mainly because of short-time associated with the year-end holidays. The latest figure is \$5.82 above December 1964.

Employment Section of the Labour Division

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Advance Index Numbers of Employment, with Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
December 1965(1)

Industrial divisions and provinces	Employment indexes (1949=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Dec. 1965	Nov. 1965	Dec. 1964	Dec. 1965	Nov. 1965	Dec. 1965	Nov. 1965	Dec. 1964
	dollars							
<u>Industrial divisions</u>								
Forestry (chiefly logging)	76.1	84.0	71.6	72.9	68.0	99.05	105.58	92.28
Mining .....	123.7	125.4	115.5	126.1	126.3	114.43	116.01	104.55
Manufacturing .....	129.7	132.1	121.9	132.8	131.7	94.74	96.64	88.65
Durable goods .....	143.1	144.4	131.4	145.5	144.0	101.47	104.90	94.86
Non-durable goods .....	118.5	121.8	113.9	122.2	121.4	87.95	88.45	82.66
Construction .....	136.7	154.6	120.1	152.8	147.9	98.07	108.19	85.04
Transportation, storage communication .....	114.1	117.0	110.8	115.5	116.4	102.09	104.41	97.23
Public utility operation	148.1	150.6	144.8	151.7	151.2	113.20	113.73	108.18
Trade .....	174.9	173.6	164.4	165.8	166.1	77.10	76.69	73.54
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	198.3	198.9	189.4	197.8	198.2	90.43	89.80	86.00
Service(2) .....	206.1	210.8	185.4	214.5	213.6	66.66	66.45	62.48
Industrial composite	140.1	143.6	131.2	142.2	141.3	91.35	93.53	85.53
<u>Province and regions</u>								
Atlantic region .....	116.8	123.5	110.0	119.1	120.5	75.33	76.36	71.62
Newfoundland .....	154.5	169.3	137.3	163.5	162.3	79.86	82.13	79.46
Prince Edward Island ...	134.0	153.7	126.4	146.7	140.7	65.64	63.56	63.09
Nova Scotia .....	102.3	106.8	99.7	102.4	104.9	73.58	74.52	67.93
New Brunswick .....	117.0	121.9	109.6	118.0	119.8	75.32	75.82	72.15
Quebec .....	138.9	142.6	130.5	140.8	139.4	89.51	91.53	83.15
Ontario .....	144.1	146.8	135.2	145.2	144.5	94.60	96.95	88.67
Prairie region .....	146.8	150.5	138.1	149.5	149.4	86.40	87.99	82.56
Manitoba .....	120.4	123.2	116.1	122.7	122.1	82.20	83.16	78.46
Saskatchewan .....	139.9	145.7	130.7	143.1	143.0	85.41	86.57	82.06
Alberta .....	181.6	185.3	167.8	185.5	185.0	90.10	92.36	86.12
British Columbia .....	137.8	140.6	124.9	141.7	140.2	100.39	104.57	92.83
Canada .....	140.1	143.6	131.2	142.2	141.3	91.35	93.53	85.53

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The industrial composite index of employment (1961=100) dropped from 116.1 in December to 114.6 in January, a below average decline of 1.3 p.c. The January index is 6.9 p.c. above the level of January 1965.

Mining, manufacturing, service, and finance, insurance and real estate reported little change in employment from December. There was a slightly greater than average decrease in construction, while in the other industry divisions declines were below normal. The indexes for all the industry divisions were above the levels of January 1965, with increases ranging from 3.3 p.c. in transportation, communications and other utilities to 16.8 p.c. in construction.

In all regions the employment indexes fell less than normally from December's level and rose from the level of January 1965. Gains over last year ranged from 5.6 p.c. in the Prairies to 11.0 p.c. in British Columbia.

The industrial composite figure for average weekly wages and salaries rose \$2.75 to \$93.71 in January. The December average was low because of short time associated with the year-end holidays. All industry divisions and all regions reported higher average weekly wages and salaries. The largest industrial gain from December was in construction (\$12.95) and the largest regional gain was in British Columbia (\$4.87). The industrial composite average was \$4.64 above January 1965.

Users are advised that the data in this summary are for the first time on the basis of the 1960 Standard Industrial Classification and a 1961 time-base for index numbers. Explanations and historic data may be found in a volume entitled Historical Series (D.B.S. Catalogue No. 72-504) and in the regular monthly publication "Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries" (formerly "Employment and Payrolls"). The seasonally-adjusted series ordinarily found in this summary will be released in following months as they become available.

Labour Division  
Employment SectionJune 1966  
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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
January 1966(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)				Average weekly wages and salaries			
	Jan. 1966	Dec. 1965	Nov. 1965	Jan. 1965	Jan. 1966	Dec. 1965	Nov. 1965	Jan. 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	99.2	102.1	116.8	93.7	96.58	95.67	103.07	92.94
Mining .....	105.8	105.2	106.5	99.5	117.16	114.53	115.91	110.31
Manufacturing .....	119.0	118.6	120.6	111.7	97.68	94.97	97.42	93.18
Durable goods .....	130.9	130.2	131.3	120.3	105.21	101.92	106.12	101.03
Non-durable goods .....	109.4	109.3	112.0	104.9	90.45	88.31	89.24	85.96
Construction .....	112.2	114.6	131.5	96.1	112.78	99.83	114.02	103.94
Transportation communica- tion and other utilities	100.9	103.4	106.1	97.7	100.90	100.33	101.56	96.85
Trade .....	116.6	123.4	122.0	108.3	75.54	73.97	73.60	72.40
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	118.4	117.9	118.4	114.1	90.55	90.46	89.74	85.02
Service .....	127.1	126.8	129.1	115.0	68.05	67.42	67.46	64.03
Industrial composite ..	114.6	116.1	118.7	107.2	93.71	90.96	93.44	89.07
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	109.4	110.5	117.1	101.0	77.77	74.68	76.16	75.06
Newfoundland .....	113.4	115.8	127.1	99.0	82.07	78.59	80.71	80.29
Prince Edward Island ....	102.1	106.2	124.8	96.1	66.17	65.02	61.19	64.04
Nova Scotia .....	107.6	108.1	112.5	102.5	75.86	73.04	75.22	73.43
New Brunswick .....	109.7	110.4	115.6	101.0	78.22	74.85	75.57	74.76
Quebec .....	112.8	114.4	117.4	105.8	91.27	88.98	91.49	86.48
Ontario .....	117.6	119.1	120.9	110.7	96.58	94.30	96.82	92.27
Prairie region .....	108.7	110.7	113.4	102.9	88.30	85.90	87.74	84.88
Manitoba .....	105.0	106.2	108.4	100.9	83.73	82.21	83.26	80.27
Saskatchewan .....	107.4	111.5	117.2	100.2	87.61	85.07	87.70	83.39
Alberta .....	112.4	114.1	116.1	105.7	92.14	89.16	91.34	89.24
British Columbia .....	118.8	120.1	122.5	107.0	104.64	99.77	104.16	97.98
Canada .....	114.6	116.1	118.7	107.2	93.71	90.96	93.44	89.07

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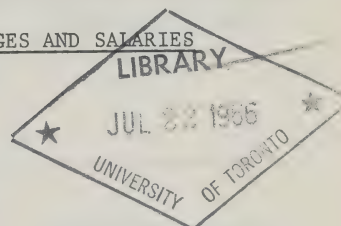
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

FEBRUARY 1966

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The unadjusted industrial composite index of employment (1961=100) rose 0.2 p.c. from January to 114.5. The index was 6.8 p.c. higher than in February last year. Seasonally-adjusted employment continued to advance this month; the index at 119.8 was 0.8 p.c. higher than in January.

The main industrial influences on the seasonally-adjusted index were gains over January in manufacturing, construction and transportation, communication and other utilities. In manufacturing small increases were reported in both durables and non-durables as employment rose in all the larger manufacturing industries except tobacco and food and beverages. The rise in the construction seasonally-adjusted index mainly originated in engineering, particularly in the other engineering industry. In transportation, communication and other utilities employment fell less than seasonally from January as transportation reported a small drop while storage, communication and electric power, gas and water reported slight increases.

Among the other industries the largest change from January in the adjusted employment indexes was an 8.3 p.c. gain in forestry. Other changes ranged from a 0.3 p.c. decline in mining to a 0.8 p.c. rise in service.

All regions contributed to the higher seasonally-adjusted composite index. Quebec rose 0.9 p.c. from January's level, Ontario rose 0.3 p.c., the Prairies 1.7 p.c. and British Columbia 0.6 p.c. In the Atlantic Region declines in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick were offset by a gain in Newfoundland.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level rose \$1.16 from January to \$94.93. The latest figure is \$5.75 above February last year. In the year-over-year comparison the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$11.75) and the largest regional increase was in British Columbia (\$7.81).

Labour Division  
Employment Section

July 1966  
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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
February 1966(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted				
	Feb. 1966	Jan. 1966	Feb. 1965	Feb. 1966	Jan. 1966	Feb. 1966	Jan. 1966	Feb. 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	86.4	91.8	85.6	105.6	97.5	106.32	95.91	98.63
Mining .....	105.9	106.0	100.5	108.1	108.4	119.09	118.18	110.34
Manufacturing .....	119.8	119.1	111.9	122.2	121.9	98.84	97.73	92.75
Durable goods .....	131.8	131.1	120.0	133.4	133.1	106.54	105.35	100.29
Non-durable goods .....	110.1	109.6	105.4	113.3	113.0	91.45	90.48	85.87
Construction .....	110.9	111.1	94.6	135.4	132.4	115.85	113.38	104.10
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	100.5	100.5	98.1	106.6	105.7	103.22	102.09	97.77
Trade .....	116.0	116.6	108.4	120.1	119.6	75.98	75.13	72.30
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	118.6	118.2	114.7	118.7	118.3	90.85	90.76	86.13
Service .....	129.1	127.5	116.1	135.0	133.9	68.95	68.17	64.43
Industrial composite	114.5	114.3	107.2	119.8	118.9	94.93	93.77	89.18
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	107.8	108.6	100.2	115.8	115.3	79.09	77.99	76.12
Newfoundland .....	112.2	110.6	97.4	129.9	124.4	83.61	81.28	81.17
Prince Edward Island ...	105.1	102.3	95.0	126.9	119.2	65.43	65.24	63.20
Nova Scotia .....	106.1	107.9	101.9	111.0	111.9	76.30	76.31	74.10
New Brunswick .....	107.2	108.9	100.5	112.4	113.3	80.63	78.99	76.63
Quebec .....	112.1	112.2	106.1	118.1	117.0	92.56	91.62	86.65
Ontario .....	117.7	117.6	110.4	121.1	120.7	97.93	96.90	91.76
Prairie region .....	109.7	109.3	102.8	116.1	114.2	89.25	87.74	85.84
Manitoba .....	105.4	105.8	100.2	111.1	110.1	83.58	82.26	81.28
Saskatchewan .....	108.1	108.3	100.5	118.4	117.1	87.92	86.06	83.94
Alberta .....	114.0	112.7	106.0	118.6	116.9	94.23	92.79	90.27
British Columbia .....	119.8	118.7	108.6	125.6	124.9	106.59	105.18	98.78
Canada .....	114.5	114.3	107.2	119.8	118.9	94.93	93.77	89.18

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MARCH 1966

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The unadjusted industrial composite index of employment (1961 = 100) rose 0.5 p.c. from 114.5 in February to 115.1 in March. The index was 6.2 p.c. higher than in March of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index rose 0.2 p.c. from last month to 119.9.

The main developments influencing the seasonally-adjusted composite index were gains over February in manufacturing and forestry which more than offset a decline in transportation, communication and other utilities. In manufacturing the gain arose in non-durables where increases in employment were reported by most larger components except knitting mills, textiles and leather, where there were slight declines. In durables, employment rose slightly less than is normal for this time of year. The largest gains were in non-metallic minerals, electrical products and transportation equipment.

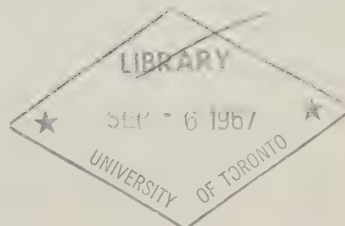
Among the regions, changes from last month in the seasonally-adjusted employment indexes ranged from a 1.0 p.c. increase in the Atlantic Region to a 0.1 p.c. decline in Quebec. Ontario rose by 0.7 p.c., the Prairie Region by 0.8 p.c. and British Columbia remained unchanged. The gain in the Atlantic Region was concentrated in Newfoundland and New Brunswick.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level fell 10 cents from February to \$94.99 in March. The latest figure is \$4.96 above March last year. In the year-over-year comparison the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$9.97), the smallest in trade (\$3.18).

Regionally, changes from February ranged from a decrease of \$1.35 in British Columbia to an increase of 13 cents in both Ontario and Quebec. In the Atlantic Region and the Prairies the figures were respectively 14 cents and 99 cents lower than last month.

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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted-				
	March 1966	Feb. 1966	March 1965	March 1966	Feb. 1966	March 1966	Feb. 1966	March 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	75.2	86.6	74.7	115.3	105.9	105.32	106.64	100.60
Mining .....	106.1	106.0	102.0	107.7	108.2	118.81	119.10	110.70
Manufacturing .....	120.5	119.9	113.5	122.7	122.4	99.37	98.91	94.75
Durable goods .....	132.6	131.9	122.8	133.4	133.5	107.00	106.61	103.58
Non-durable goods .....	110.8	110.2	106.0	114.0	113.4	92.06	91.52	86.55
Construction .....	112.2	111.2	97.1	135.0	135.8	116.51	116.40	106.54
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	100.5	100.3	99.1	105.1	106.4	102.01	103.50	96.31
Trade .....	117.8	115.9	109.3	120.8	120.0	75.75	76.00	72.57
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	118.6	118.5	115.0	119.0	118.6	92.22	90.88	86.68
Service .....	131.0	129.4	118.1	136.2	135.4	69.08	69.29	64.16
Industrial composite	115.1	114.5	108.4	119.9	119.7	94.99	95.09	90.03
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	107.4	107.3	100.8	116.5	115.3	79.03	79.17	76.17
Newfoundland .....	111.3	110.1	97.8	129.9	127.4	84.89	84.16	80.15
Prince Edward Island ...	100.2	103.2	90.4	124.5	124.6	66.19	65.69	63.55
Nova Scotia .....	106.1	106.1	103.4	111.0	111.0	76.12	76.31	74.94
New Brunswick .....	107.0	107.3	100.6	114.2	112.5	79.74	80.51	76.30
Quebec .....	112.1	112.1	106.9	118.0	118.1	92.96	92.83	87.21
Ontario .....	118.6	117.7	111.8	121.9	121.1	98.08	97.95	93.81
Prairie region .....	110.7	109.7	103.1	116.5	115.7	88.65	89.64	84.82
Manitoba .....	106.2	105.3	100.4	111.9	111.0	83.75	83.79	81.01
Saskatchewan .....	110.0	108.2	101.2	118.7	118.5	86.85	87.98	82.38
Alberta .....	114.9	114.0	106.3	119.9	118.6	93.63	94.87	88.86
British Columbia .....	121.6	120.3	111.1	126.1	126.1	105.42	106.77	97.87
Canada .....	115.1	114.5	108.4	119.9	119.7	94.99	95.09	90.03

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APRIL 1966

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The unadjusted industrial composite index of employment (1961=100) rose 1.2 p.c. from 115.0 in March to 116.4 in April. About one-half of the increase was of a seasonal nature; seasonally-adjusted, the index rose 0.6 p.c. to 120.5. The unadjusted index was 6.4 p.c. higher than in April of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. The main industrial influences on the composite index were gains in forestry, trade and transportation, communication and other utilities. Construction reported a 1.0 p.c. decline as the increase in the number of employees reported was somewhat less than is normal for this time of year. In manufacturing the adjusted index rose by 0.2 p.c. as a slight decline in non-durables was more than offset by a gain in durables. Small increases occurred in the remaining industry divisions: service (0.1 p.c.), finance, insurance and real estate (0.3 p.c.) and mining (0.7 p.c.).

Among the regions, gains from last month in the seasonally-adjusted indexes for Quebec and the Atlantic Region more than offset the effect of a decline in Ontario. British Columbia reported a small increase while the Prairie Region fell slightly. The largest percentage change took place in the Atlantic Region as a result of gains in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level rose 65 cents from \$95.12 in March to \$95.77 in April. Higher wages and salaries were reported in all industry divisions except mining where seasonal reductions in hours worked depressed weekly earnings. The largest increases were in forestry (\$3.53), transportation, storage and communication (\$1.39) and construction (\$1.54). In other industries gains ranged from 28 cents in non-durable goods manufacturing to 59 cents in trade. The increase in average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level was also partly the result of a relatively large gain in construction employment where wages are above average.

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Employment SectionSeptember 1966  
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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally adjusted-				
	April 1966	March 1966	April 1965	April 1966	March 1966	April 1966	March 1966	April 1965
<u>Industry division</u>						dollars		
Forestry .....	67.0	74.5	62.6	125.7	114.3	108.87	105.34	98.32
Mining .....	104.8	106.1	100.1	108.5	107.7	116.79	118.83	109.90
Manufacturing .....	121.1	120.6	113.7	122.9	122.7	99.78	99.44	94.88
Durable goods .....	133.5	132.7	122.8	134.2	133.5	107.36	106.99	103.58
Non-durable goods .....	111.1	110.8	106.4	113.9	114.0	92.47	92.19	86.83
Construction .....	120.2	112.4	104.1	133.9	135.3	118.74	117.20	105.73
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	103.4	100.4	100.6	106.2	105.0	103.35	101.96	97.58
Trade .....	118.4	117.1	111.3	121.1	120.1	76.56	75.97	72.93
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	118.5	118.6	115.0	119.3	119.0	92.95	92.53	87.84
Service .....	133.2	131.2	121.0	136.6	136.4	69.58	69.13	64.66
Industrial composite	116.4	115.0	109.4	120.5	119.8	95.77	95.12	90.32
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	108.9	107.6	100.6	119.3	116.7	79.58	79.20	75.30
Newfoundland .....	113.6	112.2	101.6	128.9	130.9	85.95	84.88	80.79
Prince Edward Island ...	111.1	100.7	100.4	125.8	125.1	64.15	66.19	61.11
Nova Scotia .....	108.1	106.1	103.4	113.8	111.0	76.16	76.40	73.74
New Brunswick .....	106.6	107.1	96.6	119.4	114.3	80.91	79.87	74.99
Quebec .....	113.9	111.9	107.9	118.4	117.8	93.95	93.17	87.45
Ontario .....	119.9	118.4	113.0	122.3	121.7	98.67	98.31	94.17
Prairie region .....	110.8	110.8	103.7	116.4	116.6	89.03	88.85	84.94
Manitoba .....	106.5	106.3	102.1	110.7	112.0	84.08	83.86	81.46
Saskatchewan .....	111.5	109.0	103.7	117.0	117.6	87.60	86.40	83.80
Alberta .....	114.2	115.5	105.2	120.7	120.6	93.55	93.73	88.28
British Columbia .....	122.7	121.5	112.9	126.6	126.1	107.89	105.51	98.84
Canada .....	116.4	115.0	109.4	120.5	119.8	95.77	95.12	90.32

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MAY 1966

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The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) rose 2.9 p.c. from 116.7 in April to 120.1 in May. Seasonally-adjusted, the index fell 0.4 p.c. to 120.3. The unadjusted index was 6.1 p.c. higher than in May of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Industrially, the main influences on the composite index were declines in forestry and construction where increases in employment were less than are normal for this time of year. In manufacturing the adjusted index rose by 0.1 p.c. as a slight decline in non-durables was more than offset by a gain in durables. All other industry divisions showed small increases, with the exception of mining, where there was a 0.8 p.c. decline. Transportation, communication and other utilities, trade and service all reported 0.1 p.c. increases. The index for finance, insurance and real estate was 0.3 p.c. higher this month.

Among the regions, changes from last month in the seasonally-adjusted employment indexes ranged from a 1.4 p.c. decline in British Columbia to a 0.4 p.c. increase in Ontario. All other regions showed declines: Atlantic (1.0 p.c.), Quebec (0.7 p.c.), Prairie (1.2 p.c.).

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level showed little change from last month. Gains in construction, mining and trade were offset by declines in all other industry divisions. The largest change from last month was a \$4.95 decline in forestry. Other changes ranged from a 71 cent decline in transportation, communication and other utilities to a \$1.87 increase in non-durable goods manufacturing.

Among the regions, changes from last month ranged from a 48 cent decline in the Atlantic Region to a 9 cent increase in British Columbia. Gains in Quebec and the Prairie Region were 32 cents and 13 cents, respectively, while Ontario recorded a decline of 9 cents.

The latest composite figure was \$5.48 above May last year. In the year-over-year comparison, the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$14.38) and the largest regional increase in British Columbia (\$8.46).

Labour Division  
Employment Section

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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	May 1966	April 1966	May 1965	May 1966	April 1966	May 1966	April 1966	May 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	92.8	67.2	91.8	113.4	126.1	104.17	109.12	91.64
Mining .....	107.4	104.6	104.9	107.4	108.3	117.18	116.80	108.61
Manufacturing .....	123.4	121.0	116.4	122.9	122.8	99.67	99.90	94.52
Durable goods .....	135.8	133.3	125.5	134.3	134.0	107.16	107.47	102.81
Non-durable goods .....	113.5	111.1	109.1	113.8	113.9	94.48	92.61	86.90
Construction .....	133.1	121.6	118.9	130.2	135.4	119.81	118.55	105.43
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	106.5	103.6	103.5	106.5	106.4	103.06	103.77	98.00
Trade .....	120.9	119.7	112.4	122.5	122.4	76.72	76.56	73.59
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	119.3	118.6	116.0	119.8	119.4	92.89	93.04	88.24
Service .....	138.0	133.6	125.3	137.2	137.0	69.11	69.54	65.04
Industrial composite	120.1	116.7	113.2	120.3	120.8	95.89	95.91	90.41
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	115.7	108.9	108.1	118.1	119.3	79.13	79.61	73.74
Newfoundland .....	121.4	114.2	111.6	125.3	129.6	84.90	86.21	79.85
Prince Edward Island ...	135.9	111.1	117.9	130.9	125.8	61.38	64.13	61.71
Nova Scotia .....	113.0	108.1	106.9	114.7	113.8	77.25	76.05	71.81
New Brunswick .....	113.3	106.3	106.4	116.0	119.0	79.42	80.93	73.21
Quebec .....	117.2	114.0	111.8	117.7	118.5	94.45	94.13	87.91
Ontario .....	123.5	120.5	115.9	123.4	123.0	98.74	98.83	94.29
Prairie region .....	115.0	110.9	108.5	115.1	116.5	89.13	89.00	84.91
Manitoba .....	110.3	106.8	105.3	110.6	111.0	84.84	84.10	81.40
Saskatchewan .....	117.0	112.0	109.7	116.1	117.5	87.92	87.76	83.97
Alberta .....	118.1	113.9	110.7	118.8	120.4	93.47	93.43	88.14
British Columbia .....	124.8	123.1	116.7	125.1	126.9	108.06	107.97	99.60
Canada .....	120.1	116.7	113.2	120.3	120.8	95.89	95.91	90.41

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JUNE 1966

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The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) rose 3.0 p.c. from 120.3 in May to 123.9 in June and was 6.2 p.c. higher than in June of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index fell 0.3 p.c. from last month to 120.6.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - In manufacturing, the adjusted index showed little change from May as a slight decline in durables was offset by an increase in non-durables. Forestry and construction recorded declines, as employment increases were below average for this time of year. All other industry divisions showed small increases with the exception of service where there was a small decline.

Among the regions, changes from last month in the seasonally-adjusted employment indexes were small. A 0.5 p.c. increase in Ontario offset declines in all other regions. These ranged from 1.0 p.c. in British Columbia to 0.2 p.c. in the Prairie Region. The Atlantic Region decreased by 0.7 p.c.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. - Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level at \$95.99 showed no change from last month. Decreases in forestry, construction, manufacturing and mining were offset by increases in the other industry divisions. Excluding forestry, where average wages tend to fluctuate widely, changes ranged from a 75 cent increase in trade to a 92 cent decrease in construction.

Regionally, average weekly wages and salaries showed little change from last month. The largest changes were an 82 cent increase in the Prairie Region and a 70 cent decline in British Columbia. Other regions remained virtually unchanged.

The latest composite figure was \$5.11 above June last year. In the year-over-year comparison, the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$12.91) and the largest regional increase in Quebec (\$6.48).

Labour Division  
Employment Section

November 1966  
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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	June 1966	May 1966	June 1965	June 1966	May 1966	June 1966	May 1966	June 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	120.3	96.4	119.3	107.8	117.8	97.96	101.83	92.60
Mining .....	112.0	107.8	108.7	108.2	107.8	117.20	117.60	110.93
Manufacturing .....	126.2	123.6	119.2	123.2	123.1	99.24	99.70	94.66
Durable goods .....	138.0	135.9	128.3	134.2	134.4	106.37	107.16	103.01
Non-durable goods .....	116.9	113.8	111.9	114.4	114.1	92.49	92.55	86.99
Construction .....	142.5	135.2	128.6	130.0	132.3	119.22	120.14	106.31
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	109.5	106.0	106.1	106.6	106.0	103.85	103.44	98.02
Trade .....	123.1	121.0	114.0	123.3	122.6	77.47	76.72	74.24
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	120.6	119.3	116.1	121.1	119.8	93.47	92.92	88.72
Service .....	142.7	137.9	130.3	137.1	137.2	69.85	69.29	65.94
Industrial composite	123.9	120.3	116.7	120.6	121.0	95.99	95.99	90.88
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	123.8	116.5	116.2	118.2	118.9	79.24	79.25	73.90
Newfoundland .....	136.4	123.5	127.7	124.2	127.5	85.19	85.63	79.57
Prince Edward Island ...	135.3	134.1	117.1	128.0	129.2	65.84	63.32	60.81
Nova Scotia .....	116.5	113.4	111.5	113.8	115.2	77.45	77.25	72.66
New Brunswick .....	123.5	114.0	114.5	118.5	116.7	78.42	78.94	72.57
Quebec .....	121.0	117.6	115.1	117.8	118.1	94.44	94.56	87.97
Ontario .....	126.6	123.5	118.3	124.0	123.4	98.99	98.91	94.79
Prairie region .....	119.0	115.1	112.8	115.0	115.2	90.13	89.27	85.95
Manitoba .....	113.4	110.3	108.9	110.2	110.6	84.75	84.38	82.58
Saskatchewan .....	120.2	117.0	113.6	114.8	116.1	89.33	87.91	85.06
Alberta .....	123.3	118.5	115.7	119.2	119.0	94.68	93.72	89.02
British Columbia .....	127.7	125.1	121.5	123.9	125.2	107.09	107.79	100.92
Canada .....	123.9	120.3	116.7	120.6	121.0	95.99	95.99	90.88

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JULY 1966

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The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) fell 0.7 p.c. from 124.3 in June to 123.5 in July and was 4.9 p.c. higher than in July of last year. Seasonally-adjusted the index declined 0.7 p.c. from 121.0 last month to 120.2.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. In manufacturing, the adjusted index fell 0.4 p.c. from June as a slight increase in durables was more than offset by a decline in non-durables. All other industry divisions recorded declines, except forestry and finance, insurance and real estate, where increases were slight. The large decline in mining (9.2 p.c.) was mainly the result of an industrial dispute in the nickel-copper component.

Among the regions, changes from last month in the seasonally-adjusted employment indexes ranged from a 1.4 p.c. decline in the Atlantic region to a 0.7 p.c. increase in British Columbia. Both Quebec and Ontario recorded 1.0 p.c. declines, and the adjusted index for the Prairie region fell 0.5 p.c.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level rose 58 cents from \$95.98 in June to \$96.56 in July. Decreases in mining and finance, insurance and real estate were more than offset by increases in all other industry divisions. Changes ranged from a 79 cent decrease in finance, insurance and real estate to a \$3.28 increase in construction.

Regionally, average weekly wages and salaries showed slight movement from last month's levels, the largest change being a \$1.15 increase in British Columbia.

The latest composite figure was \$5.61 above July last year. In the year-over-year comparison, the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$12.19) and the largest regional increase in Quebec (\$6.71).

Labour Division  
Employment Section

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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	July 1966	June 1966	July 1965	July 1966	June 1966	July 1966	June 1966	July 1965
<u>Industry division</u>						dollars		
Forestry .....	131.6	121.2	130.5	108.9	108.6	100.55	98.36	93.82
Mining .....	102.5	112.0	110.5	98.2	108.2	117.09	117.25	109.77
Manufacturing .....	123.7	126.6	118.5	123.1	123.6	99.30	99.22	93.59
Durable goods .....	133.1	138.4	125.1	135.4	134.6	106.48	106.32	101.28
Non-durable goods .....	116.2	117.2	113.3	113.3	114.7	92.69	92.49	86.77
Construction .....	148.9	144.7	134.7	128.5	132.0	122.39	119.11	110.20
Transportation, commun- ication and other util- ities .....	111.5	110.2	108.6	106.5	107.3	104.85	103.64	98.64
Trade .....	121.9	123.1	113.0	123.5	123.3	77.98	77.47	74.53
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	122.0	120.8	118.1	122.1	121.3	92.69	93.48	89.23
Service .....	145.1	143.4	133.1	137.3	137.8	70.52	70.00	66.11
Industrial composite	123.5	124.3	117.7	120.2	121.0	96.56	95.98	90.95
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	125.5	124.4	119.8	117.1	118.8	79.30	79.42	74.11
Newfoundland .....	140.8	138.5	134.4	123.6	126.1	84.91	85.43	79.56
Prince Edward Island ...	140.5	136.0	123.3	125.7	128.7	64.71	65.86	61.34
Nova Scotia .....	117.3	116.9	113.1	112.4	114.2	76.27	77.48	72.04
New Brunswick .....	124.1	123.3	118.2	117.4	118.3	80.22	78.71	73.78
Quebec .....	120.9	121.3	116.0	116.9	118.1	95.30	94.59	88.59
Ontario .....	123.6	126.9	117.8	123.1	124.3	99.85	99.63	94.13
Prairie region .....	121.5	119.7	115.6	115.1	115.7	91.03	90.32	86.81
Manitoba .....	115.0	114.1	110.7	109.8	110.9	85.51	84.93	83.02
Saskatchewan .....	123.4	120.8	118.3	115.1	115.0	90.79	89.18	85.39
Alberta .....	126.3	124.0	118.6	119.5	119.9	95.45	95.03	90.42
British Columbia .....	132.7	129.2	124.4	126.3	125.6	108.06	106.91	101.83
Canada .....	123.5	124.3	117.7	120.2	121.0	96.56	95.98	90.95

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AUGUST 1966

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The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) rose 1.4 p.c. from 123.9 in July to 125.6 in August and was 4.9 p.c. higher than in August of last year. Seasonally-adjusted the index declined 0.1 p.c. from 120.5 last month to 120.4

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - In manufacturing, the adjusted index fell 0.1 p.c. from July as an increase in non-durables was more than offset by a slight decline in durables. All other industry divisions recorded declines, except mining, and service. The large increase in mining (9.0 p.c.) was mainly the result of the settlement of an industrial dispute in the nickel-copper component.

Among the regions, changes from last month in the seasonally-adjusted employment indexes ranged from a 1.4 p.c. decline in British Columbia to a 0.5 p.c. increase in Ontario. Quebec recorded a 0.1 p.c. decline, the Atlantic region fell 1.1 p.c., and the Prairie region remained unchanged.

Average weekly wages and salaries. - Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level fell \$2.11 from \$96.67 in July to \$94.56 in August. The decrease was largely attributable to the industrial dispute in railways, which began in the latter part of the reference week and resulted in a \$16.51 decline in transportation, communication and other utilities. All other industry divisions recorded increases except service and trade, where there were slight declines.

All regions showed lower average weekly wages and salaries ranging from an 88 cent decline in Ontario to a \$5.55 decrease in the Prairie region.

The latest composite figure was \$3.44 above August last year. In the year-over-year comparison, the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$13.34) and the largest regional increase was in Quebec (\$4.86).

Labour Division  
Employment Section

December 1966  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Aug. 1966	July 1966	Aug. 1965	Aug. 1966	July 1966	Aug. 1966	July 1966	Aug. 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	130.6	132.4	130.4	106.4	109.6	104.06	101.13	93.71
Mining .....	111.4	102.9	110.1	107.5	98.6	117.65	116.83	110.37
Manufacturing .....	127.1	124.0	120.6	123.2	123.4	100.32	99.24	93.97
Durable goods .....	136.7	133.1	125.9	134.8	135.4	108.69	106.50	102.30
Non-durable goods .....	119.4	116.7	116.3	113.9	113.7	92.64	92.59	86.75
Construction .....	149.4	150.5	139.3	127.4	129.9	124.22	123.10	110.88
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	111.8	112.0	109.5	106.2	107.0	88.62	105.13	98.51
Trade .....	122.2	121.9	113.7	123.3	123.5	77.82	78.01	74.26
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	122.2	122.1	117.8	121.1	122.3	93.05	92.72	89.04
Service .....	148.8	145.8	135.3	138.7	137.9	70.03	70.57	65.79
Industrial composite	125.6	123.9	119.7	120.4	120.5	94.56	96.67	91.12
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	125.9	126.4	121.5	116.6	117.9	74.34	79.22	74.57
Newfoundland .....	141.6	143.2	137.0	125.6	125.7	78.77	84.44	80.26
Prince Edward Island ...	137.7	140.6	124.9	119.4	125.8	62.51	64.70	61.56
Nova Scotia .....	117.5	118.3	113.9	112.3	113.3	74.34	76.22	73.19
New Brunswick .....	124.9	124.1	120.4	115.3	117.4	72.31	80.35	73.26
Quebec .....	122.8	121.3	118.4	117.3	117.4	93.91	95.27	89.05
Ontario .....	127.0	123.7	119.1	123.7	123.2	98.58	99.46	94.25
Prairie region .....	121.8	122.1	115.9	115.6	115.6	85.65	91.20	86.85
Manitoba .....	115.5	115.7	111.0	110.1	110.5	78.08	85.78	83.42
Saskatchewan .....	123.8	123.4	118.0	115.9	115.2	85.61	91.12	85.03
Alberta .....	126.5	127.0	119.2	119.9	120.2	91.58	95.48	90.32
British Columbia .....	133.0	133.8	126.2	125.8	127.6	105.05	108.48	101.20
Canada .....	125.6	123.9	119.7	120.4	120.5	94.56	96.67	91.12

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIESSEPTEMBER 1966

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The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) at 124.9 in September showed little change from the August level of 125.7 and was 4.9 p.c. higher than in September of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 120.7 showed virtually no change from the August level.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - Changes from last month were generally small. The largest fluctuations were in forestry, where there was a 4.7 p.c. decline, and in service, where there was a 2.2 p.c. advance. Changes in other industry divisions were all less than one per cent. Regionally, as well, the adjusted employment figures varied only slightly from the August levels.

Average weekly wages and salaries. - Average weekly wages and salaries rose \$4.29 from \$94.52 in August to \$98.81 in September. A large part of the increase was the result of the settlement of the industrial dispute in railways which depressed earnings in transportation, communication and other utilities last month (1). All other divisions recorded higher average weekly wages and salaries this month, except trade where there was a slight decline.

All regions showed higher average weekly wages and salaries with gains ranging from \$3.24 in Ontario to \$8.19 in the Prairie Region.

The latest composite figure is \$6.62 above September of last year. In the year-over-year comparison, the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$13.43) and the largest regional increase was in Quebec (\$7.46).

(1) The September data for the railways are partly estimated; revised data will be published in the October bulletin.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

January 1966  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Sept. 1966	Aug. 1966	Sept. 1965	Sept. 1966	Aug. 1966	Sept. 1966	Aug. 1966	Sept. 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	126.7	130.6	123.3	101.4	106.4	108.60	104.43	98.84
Mining .....	108.1	111.4	107.1	107.3	107.5	120.97	117.94	111.37
Manufacturing .....	126.9	127.3	121.1	124.0	123.4	101.58	100.05	95.48
Durable goods .....	137.2	136.6	129.2	135.7	134.7	110.31	108.18	103.95
Non-durable goods .....	118.6	119.9	114.6	114.6	114.4	93.48	92.62	87.82
Construction .....	146.6	149.9	138.2	127.0	127.8	126.22	124.79	112.79
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	110.2	111.9	107.8	106.5	106.3	109.80	88.58	100.13
Trade .....	123.9	122.2	116.9	122.3	123.3	77.39	77.86	73.54
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	121.4	122.2	117.6	120.8	121.1	93.90	93.27	89.13
Service .....	145.8	149.2	131.0	142.1	139.0	70.54	70.02	66.65
Industrial composite	124.9	125.7	119.1	120.7	120.5	98.81	94.52	92.19
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	123.3	125.9	121.5	116.1	116.6	81.53	74.37	75.10
Newfoundland .....	139.7	141.7	134.7	125.7	125.7	87.25	78.75	80.93
Prince Edward Island ..	135.2	136.9	123.8	120.3	118.7	67.72	62.54	63.60
Nova Scotia .....	117.1	117.7	113.2	113.2	112.5	79.17	74.36	72.40
New Brunswick .....	119.0	124.5	117.0	113.3	115.0	81.48	72.40	75.08
Quebec .....	122.7	123.0	117.5	118.1	117.5	97.31	93.92	89.85
Ontario .....	127.0	127.3	120.4	123.9	124.0	101.60	98.36	95.51
Prairie region .....	120.2	122.0	114.3	115.0	115.7	93.86	85.67	87.22
Manitoba .....	114.0	115.6	109.6	109.3	110.2	88.75	78.18	83.51
Saskatchewan .....	121.6	123.8	117.0	115.2	115.9	93.40	85.87	86.32
Alberta .....	124.9	126.6	117.3	120.6	120.0	98.03	91.45	90.55
British Columbia .....	130.6	133.0	124.8	125.8	125.8	109.64	105.45	103.25
Canada .....	124.9	125.7	119.1	120.7	120.5	98.81	94.52	92.19

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OCTOBER 1966

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The October unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) declined slightly from 124.7 in September to 124.1 and was 4.6 p.c. higher than in October of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 121.3 was 0.6 p.c. above last month's level.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - All industries recorded increases from September except forestry and mining where there were small declines. The largest gain was in construction (2.7 p.c.); increases in other industry divisions were all under one per cent. All regions shared in the increase with the largest gain in the Prairies (1.6 p.c.).

Average weekly wages and salaries. - Average weekly wages and salaries at \$99.37 in October were \$1.01 higher than in September and \$5.81 higher than in October of last year. There were increases from September in all industry divisions except forestry where there was a small decline. The largest gains were in construction (\$3.17) and in transportation, communication and other utilities (\$1.47). All regions showed higher weekly wages and salaries with gains ranging from 33 cents in the Atlantic Region to \$1.24 in Ontario.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

February 1967  
8003-504



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Oct. 1966	Sept. 1966	Oct. 1965	Oct. 1966	Sept. 1966	Oct. 1966	Sept. 1966	Oct. 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	122.1	126.4	118.6	100.3	101.2	108.39	108.94	101.88
Mining .....	106.7	107.6	105.9	106.4	106.9	122.39	121.10	115.65
Manufacturing .....	125.8	126.8	120.6	124.5	123.9	102.84	101.73	97.10
Durable goods .....	137.1	137.2	130.5	136.0	135.7	111.53	110.40	105.75
Non-durable goods .....	116.7	118.4	112.7	115.3	114.4	94.68	93.69	89.07
Construction .....	147.1	147.6	138.5	131.3	127.9	129.66	126.49	115.29
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	109.0	110.4	106.2	107.2	106.7	107.99	106.52	101.53
Trade .....	124.6	122.9	118.4	121.9	121.3	77.44	77.35	73.94
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	121.7	121.5	118.0	121.3	120.9	93.93	93.70	89.26
Service .....	143.7	145.5	129.3	143.1	141.8	71.79	70.58	67.47
Industrial composite	124.1	124.7	118.6	121.3	120.6	99.37	98.36	93.56
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	121.5	123.1	118.5	116.4	115.9	80.48	80.15	76.19
Newfoundland .....	133.9	138.8	132.3	124.0	124.9	87.05	86.24	80.81
Prince Edward Island ...	137.4	134.4	127.0	122.9	119.7	65.26	66.35	62.58
Nova Scotia .....	116.9	117.1	113.2	113.6	113.2	78.47	77.86	74.56
New Brunswick .....	117.5	119.1	115.1	114.1	113.4	79.75	79.76	76.13
Quebec .....	122.0	122.4	117.1	118.4	117.8	98.18	96.98	91.63
Ontario .....	126.4	126.7	120.5	124.3	123.6	102.54	101.30	96.72
Prairie region .....	119.7	120.4	113.4	117.0	115.2	93.28	92.85	88.72
Manitoba .....	114.6	114.0	108.9	111.8	109.3	87.27	87.19	83.93
Saskatchewan .....	120.1	121.6	115.8	115.7	115.2	92.42	92.24	87.83
Alberta .....	123.9	125.4	116.3	121.9	121.0	98.40	97.52	92.93
British Columbia .....	128.8	130.6	123.0	126.9	125.8	110.28	109.50	104.27
Canada .....	124.1	124.7	118.6	121.3	120.6	99.37	98.36	93.56

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

NOVEMBER 1966

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The November unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) declined slightly from 124.2 in October to 123.7 and was 4.2 p.c. higher than in November of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.3 was 0.3 p.c. above last month's level.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - All industry divisions recorded increases from October except non-durable goods manufacturing and transportation, communication and other utilities where there were small declines. The largest gains were in construction (2.6 p.c.), mining (1.5 p.c.) and service (1.1 p.c.). All regions showed slight increases except the Atlantic region and British Columbia, where there were small declines. The largest gain from last month was in the Prairie region (1.2 p.c.).

Average weekly wages and salaries. - Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level at \$98.92 in November were 51 cents lower than in October and \$5.48 higher than in November of last year. Changes in industry divisions were mixed and generally small, ranging from a \$2.67 increase in forestry to a \$2.56 decline in construction. All other industry divisions showed increases except durable goods manufacturing, trade and transportation, communication and other utilities, where there were slight declines. All regions showed small decreases with the exception of the Atlantic region where a slight increase was recorded.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

March 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Nov. 1966	Oct. 1966	Nov. 1965	Nov. 1966	Oct. 1966	Nov. 1966	Oct. 1966	Nov. 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	119.4	122.1	116.8	100.7	100.2	110.99	108.32	103.07
Mining .....	106.9	106.6	106.5	107.9	106.3	123.52	122.58	115.91
Manufacturing .....	125.1	126.0	120.6	124.8	124.7	102.97	102.86	97.42
Durable goods .....	137.0	137.2	131.3	136.7	136.1	111.38	111.63	106.12
Non-durable goods .....	115.6	117.0	112.0	115.3	115.6	94.99	94.61	89.24
Construction .....	140.3	147.3	131.5	134.9	131.5	127.19	129.75	114.02
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	108.2	109.0	106.1	106.9	107.2	106.90	108.15	101.56
Trade .....	128.5	124.9	122.0	122.5	122.2	76.98	77.62	73.60
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	122.1	121.7	118.4	121.6	121.3	94.37	93.90	89.74
Service .....	142.4	143.6	129.1	144.6	143.0	71.90	71.55	67.46
Industrial composite	123.7	124.2	118.7	122.3	121.9	98.92	99.43	93.44
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	119.6	121.6	117.1	116.2	116.5	81.07	80.55	76.16
Newfoundland .....	129.0	134.4	127.1	124.0	124.4	87.52	87.06	80.71
Prince Edward Island ...	134.0	139.5	124.8	123.7	124.8	64.99	64.51	61.19
Nova Scotia .....	115.9	117.0	112.5	113.4	113.7	79.23	78.70	75.22
New Brunswick .....	116.7	117.3	115.6	114.0	113.9	80.42	79.77	75.57
Quebec .....	121.5	122.0	117.4	118.5	118.4	97.79	98.20	91.49
Ontario .....	126.8	126.6	121.0	124.8	124.5	102.05	102.62	96.87
Prairie region .....	119.1	119.7	113.1	118.4	117.0	92.42	93.32	87.55
Manitoba .....	113.9	114.7	108.4	113.1	111.9	86.80	87.25	83.26
Saskatchewan .....	119.9	120.7	115.4	118.4	116.3	91.65	92.41	86.65
Alberta .....	123.1	123.6	116.1	123.0	121.7	97.20	98.53	91.34
British Columbia .....	127.3	128.8	122.5	126.8	126.9	109.22	110.22	104.16
Canada .....	123.7	124.2	118.7	122.3	121.9	98.92	99.43	93.44

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

DECEMBER 1966

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The December unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) declined from 123.8 in November to 120.6 and was 4.1 p.c. higher than in December of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.7 was 0.7 p.c. above last month's level.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - All industry divisions recorded increases from November. The largest gains were in forestry (3.6 p.c.), construction (3.0 p.c.) and transportation, communication and other utilities (1.8 p.c.). Increases in the other industry divisions were slight. All regions recorded gains from last month except British Columbia, where there was a slight decline. Gains ranged from 0.6 p.c. in Ontario to 1.1 p.c. in Quebec.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$96.17 in December were \$2.64 lower than in November, mainly because of short-time associated with the year-end holidays. The December figure was \$5.17 higher than in December of last year. Changes in industry divisions were varied. Declines were recorded in construction (\$16.05), durable goods manufacturing (\$5.91), forestry (\$4.30) and non-durable goods manufacturing (78 cents). Other industry divisions showed slight increases over last month. All regions recorded decreases, ranging from \$1.03 in the Atlantic Region to \$2.93 in British Columbia.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

March 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Dec. 1966	Nov. 1966	Dec. 1965	Dec. 1966	Nov. 1966	Dec. 1966	Nov. 1966	Dec. 1965
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	106.8	119.2	102.1	104.1	100.5	107.08	111.38	95.67
Mining .....	105.3	106.7	105.1	107.9	107.7	124.89	123.45	114.53
Manufacturing .....	121.9	125.1	118.5	125.1	124.8	99.77	102.96	95.07
Durable goods .....	134.4	137.0	130.2	137.1	136.7	105.48	111.33	101.92
Non-durable goods .....	111.8	115.6	109.0	115.4	115.3	94.31	95.05	88.12
Construction .....	116.7	138.8	114.6	137.5	133.5	110.38	126.43	99.83
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	107.4	108.3	103.4	108.9	107.0	107.40	106.87	100.32
Trade .....	130.5	129.2	123.4	123.3	123.2	76.92	76.77	73.97
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	122.0	122.1	117.9	122.0	121.6	94.73	94.31	90.46
Service .....	139.4	142.5	126.8	144.9	144.7	72.35	72.15	67.42
Industrial composite	120.6	123.8	115.9	122.7	121.9	96.18	98.81	91.00
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	114.6	119.5	110.5	117.2	116.1	80.11	81.14	74.68
Newfoundland .....	119.0	129.1	115.8	126.2	124.1	85.54	87.52	78.59
Prince Edward Island ..	120.6	133.2	106.2	129.5	123.0	66.18	65.08	65.02
Nova Scotia .....	112.5	115.7	108.1	113.6	113.2	78.13	79.24	73.04
New Brunswick .....	113.7	116.6	110.4	114.6	113.9	80.20	80.60	74.85
Quebec .....	117.8	121.5	114.2	119.8	118.5	94.91	97.80	89.12
Ontario .....	124.4	126.9	119.1	125.7	124.9	99.09	101.99	94.30
Prairie region .....	116.8	119.0	110.7	119.4	118.3	90.44	92.13	85.90
Manitoba .....	112.0	114.2	106.2	113.9	113.4	85.27	86.17	82.21
Saskatchewan .....	115.4	119.3	111.5	117.9	117.8	90.02	91.38	85.07
Alberta .....	121.5	123.0	114.1	124.2	122.9	94.70	97.19	89.16
British Columbia .....	122.9	126.8	120.1	126.2	126.3	105.79	108.72	99.77
Canada .....	120.6	123.8	115.9	122.7	121.9	96.18	98.81	91.00

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JANUARY 1967

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The January unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) declined from 120.3 in December to 119.3 and was 4.4 p.c. higher than in January of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 124.0 was 1.7 p.c. above last month's level.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. All industry divisions recorded increases from December except durable goods manufacturing, where there was a slight decline. The largest gains were in forestry (4.5 p.c.), construction (3.5 p.c.) and trade (2.7 p.c.). Increases in the other industry divisions were slight. All regions recorded gains from last month, ranging from 0.8 p.c. in Ontario to 2.7 p.c. in British Columbia.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$99.46 in January were \$3.48 higher than in December and \$5.67 higher than in January of last year. All industry divisions recorded increases, ranging from 69 cents in finance to \$17.62 in construction. The December figures were low because of short time associated with the year-end holidays. Increases occurred in all regions, ranging from \$3.08 in Ontario to \$5.61 in British Columbia.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

April 1967  
8003-504



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Jan. 1967	Dec. 1966	Jan. 1966	Jan. 1967	Dec. 1966	Jan. 1967	Dec. 1966	Jan. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	101.4	105.9	91.8	107.8	103.2	106.61	105.90	95.91
Mining .....	106.1	105.1	106.0	108.5	107.7	126.42	124.94	118.18
Manufacturing .....	122.1	121.5	119.1	125.0	124.7	102.96	99.68	97.78
Durable goods .....	134.5	134.2	131.1	136.6	136.9	109.54	105.17	105.35
Non-durable goods .....	112.0	111.3	109.6	115.5	114.9	96.61	94.36	90.52
Construction .....	118.1	115.2	111.1	140.4	135.7	127.01	109.39	113.38
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	105.5	107.3	100.6	110.9	108.8	109.67	107.32	102.21
Trade .....	123.6	130.7	116.7	126.8	123.5	78.32	76.86	75.12
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	122.2	121.9	118.2	122.3	121.9	95.36	94.67	90.76
Service .....	139.9	139.3	127.7	147.0	144.8	72.98	71.91	68.14
Industrial composite	119.3	120.3	114.4	124.0	121.9	99.46	95.98	93.79
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	111.6	114.2	108.6	118.5	116.8	83.45	79.84	77.99
Newfoundland .....	115.1	117.9	110.6	129.5	125.0	88.27	84.98	81.28
Prince Edward Island ...	111.0	120.2	102.3	128.9	129.1	68.50	66.14	65.24
Nova Scotia .....	109.8	112.1	107.9	113.8	113.2	80.98	77.72	76.31
New Brunswick .....	111.6	113.8	108.9	116.3	114.7	84.59	80.30	78.99
Quebec .....	116.6	117.6	112.1	121.6	119.6	97.99	94.76	91.62
Ontario .....	123.0	124.0	117.6	126.3	125.3	101.97	98.89	96.90
Prairie region .....	115.1	116.6	109.4	120.3	119.2	93.66	90.25	87.71
Manitoba .....	110.8	112.1	105.8	115.1	114.0	87.63	85.00	82.26
Saskatchewan .....	111.2	114.2	108.3	120.1	116.6	92.35	89.69	86.06
Alberta .....	120.3	121.5	112.9	126.1	123.0	98.94	94.62	92.72
British Columbia .....	122.9	122.7	118.7	129.4	126.0	111.02	105.41	105.18
Canada .....	119.3	120.3	114.4	124.0	121.9	99.46	95.98	93.79

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FEBRUARY 1967

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The February unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) declined from 119.0 in January to 118.3 and was 3.3 p.c. higher than in February of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 123.6 was 0.1 p.c. lower than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - Among the industry divisions, changes from last month were slight. Decreases were recorded in mining, manufacturing and trade. All other industry divisions showed increases except construction where there was no change. Among the regions, decreases from last month were recorded in Ontario, the Atlantic Regions and British Columbia, while both Quebec and the Prairie Region showed increases over January.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$100.70 in February were \$1.09 higher than in January and \$5.61 higher than in February of last year. All industry divisions recorded increases, ranging from a very small change in finance, insurance and real estate to \$6.92 in forestry. Increases occurred in all regions, ranging from \$1.00 in the Atlantic Region to \$1.43 in British Columbia.

Labour Division  
Employment Section



May 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Feb. 1967	Jan. 1967	Feb. 1966	Feb. 1967	Jan. 1967	Feb. 1967	Jan. 1967	Feb. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	94.2	101.7	86.6	115.3	108.1	114.28	107.36	106.64
Mining .....	106.2	106.3	106.0	108.4	108.7	127.88	126.46	119.10
Manufacturing .....	122.0	122.1	119.9	124.5	125.0	103.83	103.12	98.91
Durable goods .....	134.6	134.7	131.9	136.2	136.8	110.20	109.69	106.61
Non-durable goods .....	111.9	112.0	110.2	115.1	115.5	97.68	96.77	91.52
Construction .....	114.1	117.0	111.2	139.1	139.1	130.23	128.71	116.40
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	104.3	105.0	100.2	110.6	110.4	110.83	109.27	103.49
Trade .....	120.3	122.5	115.9	124.5	125.6	79.91	78.41	76.00
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	122.5	122.2	118.5	122.6	122.3	95.80	95.74	90.88
Service .....	141.7	140.3	129.4	148.2	147.4	73.90	73.14	69.29
Industrial composite	118.3	119.0	114.5	123.6	123.7	100.70	99.61	95.09
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	109.0	111.0	107.3	117.1	117.8	84.75	83.75	79.17
Newfoundland .....	113.0	114.7	110.1	130.8	129.0	89.61	88.36	84.16
Prince Edward Island ...	102.7	108.5	103.2	123.7	126.0	72.55	69.52	65.69
Nova Scotia .....	107.9	109.1	106.1	112.9	113.1	82.54	81.26	76.31
New Brunswick .....	108.7	111.1	107.3	113.9	115.7	85.23	84.93	80.51
Quebec .....	115.0	116.1	112.1	121.2	121.1	98.83	97.78	92.83
Ontario .....	122.2	123.0	117.7	125.7	126.3	103.23	102.08	97.95
Prairie region .....	114.7	114.7	109.7	121.4	119.7	94.92	93.94	89.64
Manitoba .....	109.5	109.9	105.3	115.4	114.2	89.49	88.20	83.79
Saskatchewan .....	111.3	111.3	108.2	121.9	120.2	92.77	92.13	87.98
Alberta .....	120.5	120.3	114.0	125.4	124.8	99.96	99.12	94.87
British Columbia .....	123.3	123.0	120.3	129.2	129.5	113.08	111.65	106.77
Canada .....	118.3	119.0	114.5	123.6	123.7	100.70	99.61	95.09

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

MARCH 1967

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The March unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) increased slightly from 118.3 in February to 118.5 and was 3.0 p.c. higher than in March of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 123.5 was 0.1 p.c. lower than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, changes from last month were generally small. Decreases were recorded in manufacturing, construction and transportation, communication and other utilities. All other industry divisions showed increases. Among the regions, the largest change from last month was a 0.5 p.c. increase in British Columbia. The Prairie Region was unchanged, and movements in the index in other regions were negligible.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$100.98 in March were virtually unchanged from February and \$5.86 higher than in March of last year. Changes among the industry divisions were mixed, ranging from a \$4.27 decrease in construction to an increase of \$3.15 in finance, insurance and real estate. Among the regions, changes were small, ranging from a decrease of \$1.04 in British Columbia to an increase of 78 cents in the Atlantic Region.

Labour Division  
Employment SectionJune 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries.

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Mar. 1967	Feb. 1967	Mar. 1966	Mar. 1967	Feb. 1967	Mar. 1967	Feb. 1967	Mar. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	79.7	94.0	74.5	121.9	115.1	114.77	114.62	105.34
Mining .....	107.7	106.5	106.1	109.3	108.7	127.58	128.00	118.83
Manufacturing .....	122.0	122.0	120.6	124.1	124.5	104.72	103.94	99.44
Durable goods .....	134.8	134.7	132.7	135.6	136.3	111.72	110.27	106.99
Non-durable goods .....	111.7	111.8	110.8	114.9	115.0	97.91	97.80	92.19
Construction .....	112.8	113.1	112.4	135.7	137.9	125.87	130.14	117.35
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	105.7	104.8	100.4	110.6	111.1	110.72	111.49	101.96
Trade .....	121.4	120.2	117.1	124.5	124.4	80.21	79.92	75.97
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	123.2	122.4	118.6	123.6	122.5	99.10	95.95	92.37
Service .....	143.4	142.0	131.2	149.1	148.5	74.17	73.91	69.13
Industrial composite	118.5	118.3	115.0	123.5	123.6	100.98	100.85	95.12
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	107.8	108.8	107.6	116.8	116.9	85.87	85.09	79.20
Newfoundland .....	109.2	113.0	112.2	127.3	130.8	90.94	89.94	84.88
Prince Edward Island ..	101.9	98.4	100.7	126.6	118.6	73.82	73.82	66.19
Nova Scotia .....	108.1	107.7	106.1	112.8	112.7	83.52	82.66	76.40
New Brunswick .....	107.2	108.4	107.1	114.4	113.6	86.49	85.71	79.87
Quebec .....	115.2	115.2	111.9	121.3	121.4	98.90	98.88	92.70
Ontario .....	122.4	122.2	118.4	125.8	125.7	103.96	103.35	98.31
Prairie region .....	115.3	114.7	110.8	121.4	121.4	94.67	95.12	88.85
Manitoba .....	109.9	109.5	106.3	115.8	115.4	89.26	89.49	83.86
Saskatchewan .....	111.6	111.0	109.0	120.4	121.6	92.45	93.65	86.40
Alberta .....	121.4	120.6	115.5	126.7	125.5	99.71	100.12	93.73
British Columbia .....	125.3	123.4	121.6	130.0	129.4	112.17	113.21	105.51
Canada .....	118.5	118.3	115.0	123.5	123.6	100.98	100.85	95.12

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APRIL 1967

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The April unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) increased from 118.6 in March to 119.2 and was 2.1 p.c. higher than in April of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 123.4 was 0.2 p.c. lower than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, changes from last month were generally small. Increases were recorded in forestry, finance, insurance and real estate, trade and service. All other industry divisions showed declines. All regions showed small decreases from last month. The largest change was recorded in the Atlantic Region (0.5 p.c.).

Average weekly wages and salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$102.21 in April were \$1.22 higher than in March and \$6.31 higher than in April of last year. Among the industry divisions, the largest change was a \$6.70 increase in construction. Most other industry divisions showed increases, although changes in mining, service and finance, insurance and real estate were negligible. Among the regions, changes ranged from a slight decrease in the Atlantic Region to an increase of \$1.93 in British Columbia.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

July 1967  
8003-504



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	April 1967	March 1967	April 1966	April 1967	March 1967	April 1967	March 1967	April 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	69.3	79.2	67.2	129.8	121.1	120.95	114.78	109.12
Mining .....	105.3	107.8	104.6	109.0	109.4	127.70	127.62	116.80
Manufacturing .....	121.7	122.0	121.0	123.6	124.1	106.00	104.73	99.90
Durable goods .....	134.1	134.7	133.3	134.8	135.5	113.38	111.76	107.47
Non-durable goods .....	111.7	111.8	111.1	114.6	115.0	98.88	97.93	92.61
Construction .....	118.5	112.9	121.6	132.0	135.9	132.61	125.85	118.69
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	107.6	105.7	103.6	110.5	110.6	111.09	110.63	103.78
Trade .....	122.5	121.6	119.7	125.3	124.7	81.01	80.24	76.56
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	123.7	123.4	118.6	124.6	123.8	99.16	99.17	93.04
Service .....	146.1	143.7	133.6	149.8	149.4	74.26	74.20	69.54
Industrial composite	119.2	118.6	116.7	123.4	123.6	102.21	100.98	95.90
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	106.2	107.9	108.9	116.3	116.9	85.51	85.90	79.61
Newfoundland .....	105.2	108.8	114.2	119.3	126.8	91.72	91.03	86.21
Prince Edward Island ...	105.4	101.7	111.1	119.4	126.3	71.21	73.83	64.13
Nova Scotia .....	108.6	108.3	108.1	114.3	113.0	82.93	83.57	76.05
New Brunswick .....	104.1	107.4	106.3	116.6	114.6	86.09	86.48	80.93
Quebec .....	116.5	115.2	114.0	121.1	121.3	100.35	98.83	94.13
Ontario .....	123.0	122.4	120.5	125.5	125.8	105.30	103.89	98.83
Prairie region .....	115.4	115.4	110.9	121.2	121.5	94.92	94.83	89.00
Manitoba .....	111.3	109.9	106.8	115.7	115.8	89.79	89.27	84.10
Saskatchewan .....	113.1	111.6	112.0	118.7	120.4	94.36	92.46	87.76
Alberta .....	120.0	121.8	113.9	126.8	127.1	99.21	100.02	93.43
British Columbia .....	126.4	125.7	123.1	130.3	130.4	114.05	112.12	107.97
Canada .....	119.2	118.6	116.7	123.4	123.6	102.21	100.98	95.90

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

MAY 1967

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The May unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased to 122.0 from 119.3 in April and was 1.4 p.c. higher than in May of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.2 was 0.9 p.c. lower than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - Among the industry divisions, decreases were recorded in forestry, construction and manufacturing. All other industry divisions showed increases except mining, where there was no change. All regions showed declines except Quebec, where a 1.2 p.c. increase was recorded. The largest decrease was in the Atlantic Region (1.5 p.c.).

Average weekly wages and salaries. - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$102.12 were slightly lower than in April and \$6.13 higher than in May of last year. Among the industry divisions, the largest change from last month was a decrease in forestry. Changes in other industry divisions were small. Among the regions, a decline of \$1.62 was recorded in the Atlantic Region. Elsewhere, changes were negligible.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

August 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	May 1967	April 1967	May 1966	May 1967	April 1967	May 1967	April 1967	May 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	90.4	67.8	96.4	104.9	125.8	110.19	122.30	101.83
Mining .....	108.4	104.8	107.8	108.4	108.4	127.61	128.16	117.60
Manufacturing .....	122.7	121.7	123.6	122.4	123.6	105.73	106.05	99.70
Durable goods .....	133.7	134.1	135.9	132.4	134.9	112.83	113.44	107.16
Non-durable goods .....	113.9	111.6	113.8	114.2	114.5	99.03	98.92	92.55
Construction .....	121.8	115.6	135.2	119.4	127.7	131.26	132.78	120.14
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	112.0	109.0	106.0	111.9	111.6	111.44	111.17	103.44
Trade .....	124.0	122.7	121.0	125.4	124.7	81.44	81.04	76.72
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	124.8	123.7	119.3	125.4	124.6	99.35	99.19	92.93
Service .....	154.3	147.0	137.9	153.5	150.9	74.58	74.60	69.29
Industrial composite	122.0	119.3	120.3	122.2	123.4	102.12	102.32	95.99
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	112.8	106.4	116.5	114.5	116.3	84.08	85.70	79.25
Newfoundland .....	114.2	105.7	123.5	117.6	119.6	90.73	92.29	85.63
Prince Edward Island ...	120.7	106.0	134.1	115.0	117.3	69.03	71.05	63.32
Nova Scotia .....	112.2	108.7	113.4	113.1	114.1	82.44	82.94	77.25
New Brunswick .....	111.8	104.0	114.0	114.2	116.5	83.22	86.28	78.94
Quebec .....	119.4	116.8	117.6	119.6	121.0	100.19	100.57	94.56
Ontario .....	124.7	123.1	123.5	124.7	125.4	105.56	105.34	98.91
Prairie region .....	119.8	115.5	115.1	119.9	120.8	95.04	95.07	89.27
Manitoba .....	114.5	111.4	110.3	114.7	115.2	91.03	90.10	84.38
Saskatchewan .....	119.0	113.3	117.0	118.3	118.6	94.73	94.63	87.91
Alberta .....	124.8	119.8	118.5	125.8	126.1	98.31	99.19	93.72
British Columbia .....	128.9	126.3	125.1	129.3	130.1	113.94	114.09	107.79
Canada .....	122.0	119.3	120.3	122.2	123.4	102.12	102.32	95.99

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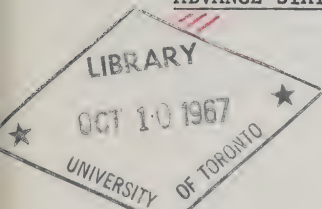
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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

JUNE 1967

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The June unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased to 125.0 from 122.3 in May and was 0.6 p.c. higher than in June of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 121.7 was 0.7 p.c. lower than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, increases were recorded in trade and finance, insurance and real estate. All other industry divisions showed decreases except service, where there was no change. All regions showed declines except the Prairie Region, where a 0.2 p.c. increase was recorded. The largest decrease was in the Atlantic Region (1.2 p.c.).

Average weekly wages and salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$102.98 were slightly higher than in May and \$7.02 higher than in June of last year. All industry divisions showed small increases over May except forestry, where a decrease was recorded. All regions showed slight increases, the largest change being \$1.69 in the Prairie Region.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

September 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	June 1967	May 1967	June 1966	June 1967	May 1967	June 1967	May 1967	June 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	110.0	91.2	121.8	96.3	105.8	106.47	109.45	98.47
Mining .....	112.4	108.9	112.0	108.5	108.9	129.01	127.87	117.25
Manufacturing .....	124.5	122.9	126.6	121.6	122.5	106.57	105.86	99.22
Durable goods .....	134.3	133.9	138.4	130.9	132.6	114.26	113.11	106.33
Non-durable goods .....	116.6	114.0	117.2	114.1	114.3	99.46	99.01	92.49
Construction .....	128.0	123.3	144.7	117.5	120.9	132.16	130.68	119.11
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	115.1	112.3	110.2	112.0	112.2	112.60	111.71	103.45
Trade .....	125.8	124.2	123.1	125.7	125.6	82.20	81.45	77.47
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	126.4	125.0	120.8	126.4	125.6	99.82	99.35	93.48
Service .....	160.2	154.8	143.4	154.0	154.0	75.23	74.49	70.00
Industrial composite	125.0	122.3	124.4	121.7	122.5	102.98	102.19	95.96
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	119.3	113.1	124.4	113.5	114.8	84.94	84.04	79.42
Newfoundland .....	120.9	114.5	138.5	110.1	117.9	91.70	91.02	85.43
Prince Edward Island ...	131.4	121.5	136.0	123.3	115.7	71.47	68.79	65.86
Nova Scotia .....	115.3	112.4	116.9	112.4	113.3	82.87	82.33	77.48
New Brunswick .....	121.8	112.2	123.3	116.0	114.6	84.36	83.09	78.71
Quebec .....	122.2	119.7	121.4	118.9	119.9	101.27	100.36	94.28
Ontario .....	126.5	124.9	126.9	123.8	124.8	106.08	105.62	98.97
Prairie region .....	124.7	120.5	119.7	120.8	120.6	96.76	95.07	90.32
Manitoba .....	118.1	115.5	114.1	114.9	115.7	92.27	91.09	84.93
Saskatchewan .....	123.4	119.6	120.8	118.4	118.9	96.57	94.90	89.18
Alberta .....	130.9	125.2	124.0	126.8	126.2	100.29	98.28	95.03
British Columbia .....	132.4	129.3	129.2	128.9	129.7	115.05	113.97	106.87
Canada .....	125.0	122.3	124.4	121.7	122.5	102.98	102.19	95.96

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

JULY 1967

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The July unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased slightly to 125.6 from 125.3 in June and was 1.4 p.c. higher than in July of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.3 was 0.2 p.c. higher than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - Among the industry divisions, increases were recorded in manufacturing (1.5 p.c.), mining (0.5 p.c.) and finance, insurance and real estate (0.4 p.c.). All other industry divisions showed decreases ranging from 0.1 p.c. in trade to 3.8 p.c. in forestry. Among the regions, increases were recorded in Ontario and the Atlantic Region; the other regions showed decreases.

Average weekly wages and salaries. - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$103.27 were slightly higher than in June and \$6.60 higher than in July of last year. All industry divisions showed small increases over June except mining and manufacturing, where decreases were recorded. Changes among the regions were negligible. In the year-over-year comparison, the largest industrial gain was in construction (\$10.58) and the largest regional increase was in British Columbia (\$7.21).

Labour Division  
Employment Section

October 1967  
8003-504



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	July 1967	June 1967	July 1966	July 1967	June 1967	July 1967	June 1967	July 1966
<u>Industry division</u>						dollars		
Forestry .....	121.0	115.1	132.4	97.3	100.8	107.56	105.33	101.13
Mining .....	113.7	112.5	102.9	109.1	108.6	127.28	128.92	116.83
Manufacturing .....	124.3	124.7	124.0	123.5	121.7	106.18	106.60	99.24
Durable goods .....	133.7	134.4	133.1	135.5	131.0	113.69	114.28	106.50
Non-durable goods .....	116.7	116.8	116.7	113.9	114.3	99.26	99.49	92.59
Construction .....	132.4	128.0	150.5	115.7	117.5	133.68	132.25	123.10
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	116.2	115.3	112.0	111.1	112.2	113.43	112.59	105.13
Trade .....	124.4	126.1	121.9	125.9	126.0	82.43	82.14	78.00
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	127.2	126.4	122.1	126.9	126.4	100.05	99.81	92.72
Service .....	161.4	160.7	145.8	153.1	154.5	76.31	75.23	70.57
Industrial composite	125.6	125.3	123.9	122.3	122.0	103.27	102.95	96.67
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	124.1	121.1	126.4	115.5	115.1	83.81	84.49	79.22
Newfoundland .....	131.6	127.0	143.2	115.7	115.7	89.71	90.00	84.44
Prince Edward Island ...	142.2	135.3	140.6	126.5	126.9	70.05	71.20	64.70
Nova Scotia .....	117.1	116.4	118.3	112.3	113.5	81.85	82.55	76.22
New Brunswick .....	126.1	121.7	124.1	118.6	115.9	83.51	84.43	80.35
Quebec .....	122.6	122.3	121.3	118.9	119.0	101.48	101.16	95.27
Ontario .....	125.7	126.7	123.7	125.2	124.0	106.55	106.07	99.46
Prairie region .....	126.4	124.9	122.1	120.0	121.0	97.51	96.99	91.20
Manitoba .....	119.2	118.4	115.7	114.1	115.2	92.98	92.38	85.78
Saskatchewan .....	126.0	124.1	123.4	118.3	119.1	97.11	97.01	91.10
Alberta .....	132.6	130.7	127.0	125.7	126.6	101.14	100.53	95.48
British Columbia .....	134.8	132.6	133.8	128.4	129.1	115.69	115.35	108.48
Canada .....	125.6	125.3	123.9	122.3	122.0	103.27	102.95	96.67

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AUGUST 1967

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The August unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) increased to 126.7 from 125.8 in July and was 0.8 p.c. higher than in August of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 121.8 was 0.6 p.c. lower than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - All industry divisions showed decreases from July except mining, where a 0.6 p.c. increase was recorded, and forestry, where there was no change. The largest decreases occurred in service (1.9 p.c.), transportation, communication and other utilities (0.8 p.c.) and construction (0.7 p.c.). All regions showed decreases except the Prairie Region, where a slight increase was recorded.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$103.43 were virtually unchanged from July and \$8.91 higher than in August of last year. Most industry divisions showed little change over July, the largest changes being a decrease of \$1.56 in forestry and an increase of \$1.21 in mining. Changes among the regions were negligible.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

November 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Aug. 1967	July 1967	Aug. 1966	Aug. 1967	July 1967	Aug. 1967	July 1967	Aug. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	118.2	118.7	130.6	95.5	95.5	107.54	109.10	104.43
Mining .....	113.4	113.6	111.4	109.6	109.0	128.46	127.25	117.94
Manufacturing .....	126.7	124.3	127.3	123.0	123.5	106.47	106.12	100.05
Durable goods .....	136.2	133.4	136.6	134.8	135.2	114.53	113.64	108.18
Non-durable goods .....	119.1	117.0	119.9	113.6	114.1	99.06	99.24	92.62
Construction .....	134.5	133.5	149.9	115.9	116.7	134.45	133.59	124.79
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	116.0	116.5	111.9	110.5	111.4	113.06	113.82	88.58
Trade .....	124.3	124.5	122.2	125.4	126.0	82.30	82.51	77.86
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	127.2	127.2	122.2	126.1	126.9	99.95	100.08	93.27
Service .....	163.2	163.1	149.2	151.7	154.7	76.35	76.31	70.02
Industrial composite	126.7	125.8	125.7	121.8	122.5	103.43	103.35	94.52
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	124.9	124.6	125.9	115.9	116.0	84.21	83.98	74.37
Newfoundland .....	136.2	132.5	141.7	121.7	116.5	89.42	89.87	78.75
Prince Edward Island ...	142.2	146.6	136.9	126.7	130.4	71.14	68.69	62.54
Nova Scotia .....	117.5	117.4	117.7	112.8	112.6	82.44	81.98	74.36
New Brunswick .....	124.9	126.2	124.5	115.2	118.7	83.97	83.93	72.40
Quebec .....	123.8	122.7	123.0	118.6	119.0	101.70	101.63	93.92
Ontario .....	127.4	125.9	127.3	124.2	125.4	106.80	106.51	98.36
Prairie region .....	126.6	126.6	122.0	120.3	120.2	97.76	97.82	85.67
Manitoba .....	119.5	119.8	115.6	114.5	114.6	93.20	93.45	78.18
Saskatchewan .....	125.8	126.1	123.8	117.8	118.4	97.14	96.92	85.87
Alberta .....	133.0	132.6	126.6	126.4	125.7	101.48	101.53	91.45
British Columbia .....	134.7	135.2	133.0	127.4	128.8	114.81	115.62	105.45
Canada .....	126.7	125.8	125.7	121.8	122.5	103.43	103.35	94.52

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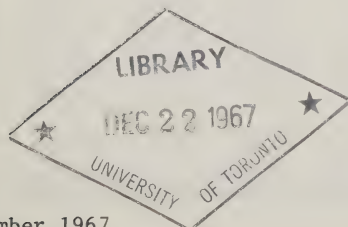
SEPTEMBER 1967

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The September unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) declined to 125.7 from 127.0 in August and was 0.8 p.c. higher than in September of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 121.8 showed a decrease of 0.2 p.c. from last month's figure.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. All industry divisions showed slight decreases from August except Service where an increase of 3.2 p.c. was recorded. The largest decreases occurred in Forestry (3.3 p.c.), Manufacturing (0.6 p.c.), and trade (0.6 p.c.). All regions showed decreases except the Prairie Region where a 0.2 p.c. increase was recorded and British Columbia which showed a 0.4 p.c. increase.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$104.73 were \$1.07 higher than the corresponding figure for August and \$6.37 higher than in September of last year. Increases were recorded in all industry divisions except Trade which showed a slight decrease. The largest changes were recorded in Forestry, Mining, and Manufacturing. All regions showed increases ranging from \$0.67 in Ontario to \$1.89 in British Columbia.



Labour Division  
Employment Section

December 1967  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Sept. 1967	Aug. 1967	Sept. 1966	Sept. 1967	Aug. 1967	Sept. 1967	Aug. 1967	Sept. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	119.6	124.5	126.4	97.3	100.6	118.43	108.06	108.94
Mining .....	110.0	113.5	107.6	109.5	109.7	130.42	128.62	121.10
Manufacturing .....	125.3	126.7	126.8	122.4	123.1	108.28	106.73	101.78
Durable goods .....	134.9	136.0	137.2	133.4	134.6	116.66	114.79	110.39
Non-durable goods .....	117.6	119.3	118.4	113.5	113.8	100.56	99.33	93.69
Construction .....	133.2	135.4	147.6	116.6	116.7	135.74	135.13	126.49
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	113.8	115.9	110.4	110.3	110.4	115.02	113.52	106.52
Trade .....	126.2	124.4	122.9	124.8	125.5	82.09	82.23	77.35
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	127.1	128.1	121.5	126.6	127.0	100.07	99.83	93.70
Service .....	161.0	163.9	145.5	157.1	152.3	76.60	76.41	70.58
Industrial composite	125.7	127.0	124.7	121.8	122.0	104.73	103.66	98.36
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	123.8	126.3	123.1	116.8	117.2	86.03	84.42	80.15
Newfoundland .....	134.4	137.2	138.8	121.0	122.6	91.52	89.53	86.24
Prince Edward Island ...	137.2	142.0	134.4	123.8	126.6	72.54	71.82	66.35
Nova Scotia .....	116.9	117.5	117.1	113.1	112.8	83.92	82.60	77.86
New Brunswick .....	124.1	128.4	119.1	118.0	118.4	86.02	84.23	79.76
Quebec .....	122.3	123.8	122.4	118.1	118.6	103.22	102.03	96.98
Ontario .....	127.1	127.7	126.7	124.1	124.5	107.70	107.03	101.30
Prairie region .....	125.0	126.8	120.4	120.7	120.5	98.92	97.94	92.85
Manitoba .....	118.8	119.7	114.0	114.6	114.7	94.05	93.51	87.19
Saskatchewan .....	124.6	126.1	121.6	118.7	118.1	97.14	97.22	92.24
Alberta .....	130.5	133.2	125.4	125.8	126.6	103.40	101.62	97.52
British Columbia .....	133.4	135.4	130.6	128.6	128.1	116.87	114.98	109.50
Canada .....	125.7	127.0	124.7	121.8	122.0	104.73	103.66	98.36

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October 1967

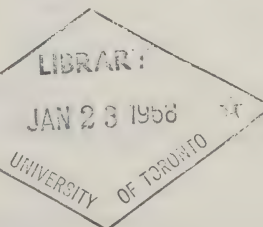
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The October unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) decreased 1.0 p.c. from 125.9 in September to 124.6 in October and was 0.3 p.c. higher than in October of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.2 was 0.2 p.c. higher than last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. All industry divisions showed increases from September except mining and manufacturing, where decreases were recorded. The largest change was a 1.3 p.c. decline in the durable goods component of manufacturing, the effect of which was partially offset by a 0.5 p.c. increase in the non-durables component. Changes in other industry divisions were small. All regions showed increases except the Atlantic Region and British Columbia, where declines of 0.7 p.c. were recorded.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$105.08 were slightly higher than in September and \$5.65 higher than in October of last year. Changes from last month among the major industry divisions ranged from a decrease of \$1.24 in construction to an increase of \$1.63 in mining. Most industry divisions showed slight increases over September. Among the regions, changes were negligible. The Prairie Region and British Columbia showed slight declines, elsewhere, small increases were recorded.

Labour Division★  
Employment Section



January 1968  
8003-504



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Oct. 1967	Sept. 1967	Oct. 1966	Oct. 1967	Sept. 1967	Oct. 1967	Sept. 1967	Oct. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	115.8	120.0	122.1	97.8	97.6	119.36	118.69	108.32
Mining .....	108.9	110.0	106.6	109.0	109.5	132.02	130.39	122.58
Manufacturing .....	123.3	125.5	126.0	122.1	122.5	109.22	108.45	102.86
Durable goods .....	133.2	135.4	137.2	132.2	133.9	117.58	116.74	111.68
Non-durable goods .....	115.4	117.4	117.0	113.9	113.3	101.46	100.75	94.61
Construction .....	131.9	133.7	147.3	117.7	117.1	134.74	135.98	129.75
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	112.5	113.7	109.0	110.9	110.2	115.90	115.28	108.15
Trade .....	128.5	126.9	124.9	126.2	125.5	82.14	82.17	77.62
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	127.6	127.1	121.7	127.2	126.6	99.35	99.53	93.90
Service .....	157.6	160.4	143.6	157.3	156.5	76.18	75.89	71.55
Industrial composite	124.6	125.9	124.2	122.2	122.0	105.08	104.77	99.43
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	121.6	124.2	121.6	116.4	117.2	86.16	85.98	80.55
Newfoundland .....	129.6	134.1	134.4	119.4	120.7	92.60	91.69	87.06
Prince Edward Island ...	135.2	140.7	139.5	121.5	127.0	70.53	70.83	64.51
Nova Scotia .....	116.5	117.6	117.0	113.3	113.7	83.47	83.84	78.70
New Brunswick .....	121.2	124.2	117.3	117.8	118.1	86.51	86.06	79.77
Quebec .....	122.3	122.7	122.0	118.9	118.4	103.90	103.05	98.20
Ontario .....	126.2	127.1	126.6	124.2	124.1	108.21	107.82	102.62
Prairie region .....	123.6	125.1	119.7	121.1	120.8	98.78	99.03	93.32
Manitoba .....	117.8	119.1	114.7	115.5	114.8	94.14	94.22	87.25
Saskatchewan .....	124.0	124.7	120.7	119.5	118.8	96.95	97.21	92.41
Alberta .....	128.4	130.4	123.6	126.6	125.7	103.14	103.49	98.53
British Columbia .....	129.4	133.1	128.8	127.5	128.4	116.48	117.23	110.22
Canada .....	124.6	125.9	124.2	122.2	122.0	105.08	104.77	99.43

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## ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

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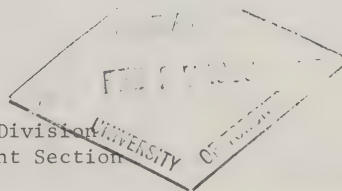
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The November unadjusted index of employment (1961 = 100) decreased by 0.5 p.c. from 124.8 in October to 124.2 in November and was 0.3 p.c. higher than in November of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.5 was 0.2 p.c. higher than the figure for last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes were decreases of 3.6 p.c. in forestry and 2.0 p.c. in service. The durable goods component of manufacturing showed an increase of 1.2 p.c. and in construction a rise of 1.0 p.c. was recorded. Other changes were small. Among the regions, British Columbia and Quebec showed decreases while all other regions showed increases ranging from 0.2 p.c. in the Prairie Region to 0.8 p.c. in Ontario.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries in November showed a slight increase over October and were \$6.37 higher than in November of last year. All industry divisions showed increases over October except trade where a slight decrease was recorded. Changes among the regions were slight.

Labour Division  
Employment Section



February 1968  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Nov. 1967	Oct. 1967	Nov. 1966	Nov. 1967	Oct. 1967	Nov. 1967	Oct. 1967	Nov. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	108.6	115.9	119.2	94.4	97.9	124.07	119.82	111.38
Mining .....	108.5	108.6	106.7	109.5	108.7	133.42	132.52	123.45
Manufacturing .....	123.2	123.3	125.1	123.0	122.0	109.56	109.32	103.03
Durable goods .....	134.0	133.1	137.0	133.7	132.1	118.06	117.74	111.41
Non-durable goods .....	114.5	115.4	115.6	114.4	113.9	101.53	101.49	95.06
Construction .....	124.9	132.6	138.8	119.5	118.3	135.16	134.74	126.43
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	111.4	112.4	108.3	110.4	110.8	116.15	115.92	106.87
Trade .....	132.3	128.8	129.1	126.4	126.5	81.29	81.83	76.77
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	128.9	128.6	122.1	128.6	128.2	99.72	99.13	94.31
Service .....	152.9	158.6	142.5	155.1	158.3	77.08	76.44	72.15
Industrial composite	124.2	124.8	123.8	122.5	122.3	105.18	105.10	98.81
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	120.2	121.8	119.5	117.3	116.6	85.77	86.13	81.14
Newfoundland .....	127.8	130.0	129.1	123.1	119.8	92.67	93.22	87.52
Prince Edward Island ...	137.2	136.6	133.2	127.9	122.7	68.79	70.17	65.08
Nova Scotia .....	116.3	116.7	115.7	113.9	113.5	83.24	82.97	79.24
New Brunswick .....	118.3	121.3	116.6	115.9	117.9	85.80	86.59	80.60
Quebec .....	120.7	122.5	121.5	118.4	119.0	104.15	103.87	97.80
Ontario .....	127.1	126.3	126.9	125.3	124.3	108.31	108.23	101.99
Prairie region .....	122.6	123.9	119.0	121.6	121.4	98.86	99.04	92.13
Manitoba .....	116.9	118.0	114.2	116.1	115.7	94.50	94.65	86.17
Saskatchewan .....	122.7	125.0	119.3	120.3	120.4	98.11	97.37	91.38
Alberta .....	127.4	128.4	123.0	127.1	126.6	102.57	103.15	97.19
British Columbia .....	127.7	129.4	127.0	127.4	127.5	116.34	116.40	108.84
Canada .....	124.2	124.8	123.8	122.5	122.3	105.18	105.10	98.81

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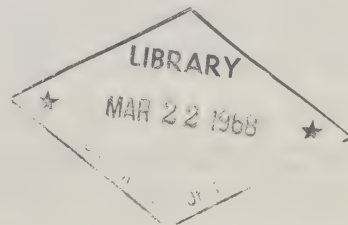
The December unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) decreased by 3.1 p.c. from 124.3 in November to 120.5 in December and was 0.2 p.c. higher than in December of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.5 was 0.2 p.c. lower than the figure for last month.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. - Among the industry divisions, the largest changes were a decrease of 1.1 p.c. in transportation, communication, and other utilities, and an increase of 0.7 p.c. in construction. Manufacturing and trade were unchanged from last month. Among the regions, British Columbia showed the largest change with an increase of 0.6 p.c. Decreases occurred in the Atlantic Region (0.5 p.c.) and Quebec (0.4 p.c.). Elsewhere slight increases were recorded.

Average weekly wages and salaries. - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$102.58 were \$2.68 lower than in November and \$6.61 higher than in December, 1966. Among the industry divisions, trade, and finance, insurance and real estate showed slight increases. All other industries showed decreases reflecting short-time associated with year-end holidays. The largest of these decreases occurred in construction (\$20.44) and forestry (\$11.30). All regions showed decreases ranging from \$1.05 in the Atlantic Region to \$4.17 in British Columbia.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)					Average weekly wages and salaries		
	Unadjusted			Seasonally- adjusted				
	Dec. 1967	Nov. 1967	Dec. 1966	Dec. 1967	Nov. 1967	Dec. 1967	Nov. 1967	Dec. 1966
	dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>								
Forestry .....	92.5	107.5	105.9	93.0	93.4	113.42	124.72	105.90
Mining .....	107.7	109.1	105.1	110.3	110.1	133.03	133.59	124.94
Manufacturing .....	119.8	123.2	121.6	123.0	123.0	107.76	109.71	99.68
Durable goods .....	131.0	133.8	134.3	133.5	133.5	115.42	118.30	105.17
Non-durable goods .....	110.8	114.6	111.3	114.5	114.5	100.45	101.61	94.36
Construction .....	104.1	125.5	115.2	120.9	120.1	114.18	134.62	109.45
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	108.2	111.8	107.3	109.6	110.8	115.84	116.42	107.32
Trade .....	134.3	132.9	130.7	126.9	126.9	81.42	81.24	76.86
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	128.4	128.7	121.9	128.4	128.4	100.43	99.73	94.67
Service .....	148.9	153.0	139.4	155.3	155.2	76.54	77.09	71.91
Industrial composite	120.5	124.3	120.3	122.5	122.7	102.58	105.26	95.97
<u>Province and region</u>								
Atlantic region .....	113.8	120.0	114.2	116.5	117.1	84.91	85.96	79.84
Newfoundland .....	115.7	127.8	117.9	123.4	123.3	90.93	92.68	84.98
Prince Edward Island ...	126.2	135.1	120.2	131.6	126.1	68.81	69.80	66.14
Nova Scotia .....	111.4	116.1	112.0	112.6	113.8	81.64	83.55	77.72
New Brunswick .....	114.4	118.4	113.9	116.1	116.1	86.48	85.85	80.30
Quebec .....	116.0	120.8	117.6	118.0	118.5	101.17	104.19	94.76
Ontario .....	124.7	127.5	124.0	126.0	125.7	105.79	108.42	98.85
Prairie region .....	118.9	122.3	116.6	121.5	121.3	96.64	98.88	90.25
Manitoba .....	112.9	116.6	112.1	115.0	115.8	92.04	94.33	85.00
Saskatchewan .....	118.0	122.8	114.2	120.9	120.4	96.36	98.28	89.69
Alberta .....	124.3	126.9	121.5	127.2	126.6	100.30	102.68	94.62
British Columbia .....	124.1	127.5	122.7	127.9	127.2	112.21	116.38	105.41
Canada .....	120.5	124.3	120.3	122.5	122.7	102.58	105.26	95.97

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### NOTE TO USERS

Preliminary estimates of employment and earnings for February are now available at the major industry level for Canada, in addition to the usual data for January. These data are based on early returns and are subject to two subsequent revisions as more returns become available. Although complete industry and area detail is not yet available, these figures should indicate movements in the major series.

Details of the estimating procedure used can be obtained from the Employment Section, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

### JANUARY

The January unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) decreased by 1.5 p.c. from 120.5 in December to 118.6 in January and was 0.3 p.c. lower than in January of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 123.0 was 0.4 p.c. higher than the December index.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, forestry showed a decrease of 2.4 p.c. and transportation, communication, and other utilities increased by 1.7 p.c. Other changes ranged from a decrease of 0.7 p.c. in service to an increase of 1.4 p.c. in construction. Among the regions, only the Atlantic Region showed a decrease (0.3 p.c.). Increases ranged from 0.1 p.c. in Ontario to 0.9 p.c. in the Prairie Region.

Average Weekly Wages & Salaries - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$105.70 were \$3.21 higher than in December and \$6.13 higher than in January of last year. All major industry divisions showed increases, the largest being a rise of \$18.38 in construction. All regions also showed increases ranging from \$2.85 in Ontario to \$4.40 in the Atlantic Region.

### FEBRUARY

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment declined to 117.0 in February from 118.6 in January. The employment index for total manufacturing declined in February as a slight increase in the non-durables component was more than offset by a decline in durables. The decrease in durables can be largely attributed to an industrial dispute in transportation equipment. The predicted forestry index also showed a seasonal decline. Increases are indicated for average weekly wages and salaries in all industry divisions.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

April 1968  
8003-504



# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)						Average weekly wages and salaries					
							Seasonally- adjusted		dollars			
							Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967				
	Feb. 1968	Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967	Feb. 1967	Jan. 1967	Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967	Jan. 1968	Feb. 1968	Dec. 1967	Jan. 1967	
			1961=100									
Industry division												
Forestry .....	74.6	84.8	92.5	94.0	101.7	91.9	94.2	129.99	115.04	112.72	107.36	
Mining .....	107.7	108.7	107.3	106.5	106.3	110.9	110.0	138.30	136.82	133.36	126.46	
Manufacturing .....	118.1	119.8	119.8	122.0	122.1	122.5	122.7	111.23	110.03	107.83	103.06	
Durable goods .....	126.4	130.7	131.0	134.7	134.7	132.4	133.2	119.22	116.98	115.58	109.57	
Non-durable goods .....	111.4	111.1	110.7	111.8	112.0	114.6	114.3	103.91	103.43	100.42	96.77	
Construction .....	101.1	103.9	103.4	113.1	117.0	121.9	120.2	134.96	131.75	113.37	128.46	
Transportation, communi- cation and other util- ities .....	--	106.3	108.1	104.8	105.0	111.5	109.6	--	118.22	115.38	109.27	
Trade .....	123.4	125.8	134.6	120.2	122.5	128.9	127.4	84.64	83.41	81.56	78.41	
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	129.3	128.9	128.4	122.4	122.2	129.2	128.7	101.60	101.24	100.44	95.95	
Service .....	148.3	147.7	149.2	142.0	140.3	154.5	155.6	79.32	77.09	76.54	73.14	
Industrial composite	117.0	118.6	120.5	118.3	119.0	123.0	122.5	107.48	105.70	102.49	99.57	
Province and region												
Atlantic region .....	--	109.7	114.0	108.8	111.0	116.4	116.7	--	89.02	84.62	83.75	
Newfoundland .....	--	109.5	115.6	113.0	114.7	123.2	123.3	--	93.87	91.44	88.36	
Prince Edward Island ..	--	106.6	126.2	98.4	108.5	123.0	131.6	--	76.58	68.81	69.52	
Nova Scotia .....	--	110.1	111.9	107.7	109.1	114.0	113.1	--	86.58	81.33	82.66	
New Brunswick .....	--	109.7	114.3	108.4	111.1	114.0	116.0	--	89.97	85.68	84.93	
Quebec .....	--	113.9	115.8	115.2	116.1	118.6	117.8	--	104.08	101.02	97.78	
Ontario .....	--	123.1	124.7	122.2	122.9	126.2	126.1	--	108.59	105.74	102.13	
Prairie region .....	--	117.3	118.6	114.7	114.7	122.2	121.1	--	100.42	96.52	93.94	
Manitoba .....	--	111.7	112.0	109.5	109.9	116.0	113.9	--	95.93	91.93	88.20	
Saskatchewan .....	--	114.3	118.0	111.0	111.3	122.0	121.1	--	98.11	96.35	92.13	
Alberta .....	--	123.3	124.4	120.6	120.3	127.8	127.2	--	104.76	100.10	99.12	
British Columbia .....	--	122.3	124.2	123.4	123.0	128.7	128.1	--	115.54	112.26	111.19	
Yukon .....	--	109.4	108.3	92.0	91.2	134.5	122.6	--	144.83	149.11	131.71	
Northwest Territories ...	--	96.2	95.2	88.5	88.0	110.7	113.6	--	163.98	162.14	162.87	
Canada .....	117.0	118.6	120.5	118.3	119.0	123.0	122.5	107.48	105.70	102.49	99.57	

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FEBRUARY 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) decreased by 1.3 p.c. from 119.0 in January to 117.5 in February and was 0.7 p.c. lower than in February of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.3 was 1.0 p.c. lower than the January adjusted index of 123.5.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, the largest change was recorded in the durable goods component of manufacturing. The decrease of 3.8 p.c. resulted largely from industrial disputes in transportation equipment. Other changes ranged from a decrease of 1.1 p.c. in mining to an increase of 0.4 p.c. in finance, insurance, and real estate. Among the regions, changes ranged from a decrease of 1.7 p.c. in Ontario to an increase of 0.1 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$106.99 were 89 cents higher than in January and \$6.14 higher than in February of last year. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes were increases of \$10.39 in forestry, \$2.26 in construction, and \$1.58 in mining. All regions showed increases ranging from 16 cents in the Atlantic to \$2.19 in British Columbia.

MARCH 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment increased to 118.1 in March from 117.5 in February. The employment index for total manufacturing increased, largely as a result of the settlement of industrial disputes affecting the durable goods component. Increases are indicated for average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level and also in most industry divisions. Further industry and area detail for March is not yet available.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)						Average weekly wages and salaries							
	Unadjusted						Seasonally- adjusted		dollars					
	Mar. 1968	Feb. 1968	Jan. 1968	Mar. 1967	Feb. 1967	Jan. 1968	Feb. 1968	Jan. 1968					Mar. 1967	Feb. 1967
	1961=100													
<u>Industry division</u>														
Forestry .....	64.0	75.6	84.8	79.2	94.0	91.4	91.9	128.32	126.52	116.13	114.78	114.62		
Mining .....	108.8	107.3	108.3	107.8	106.5	109.3	110.5	138.00	138.73	137.15	127.62	128.00		
Manufacturing .....	119.2	117.8	119.8	122.0	122.0	120.2	122.4	111.39	111.21	110.30	104.73	103.94		
Durable goods .....	128.9	125.8	130.4	134.7	134.7	127.1	132.1	118.58	119.06	117.28	111.76	110.27		
Non-durable goods .....	111.3	111.3	111.1	111.8	111.8	114.7	114.6	104.68	104.05	103.69	97.93	97.80		
Construction .....	103.4	101.9	104.1	112.9	113.1	121.5	122.2	135.06	134.89	132.63	125.85	130.14		
Transportation, communication and other utilities .....	--	107.8	108.6	105.7	104.8	113.2	113.9	--	119.24	119.24	110.63	111.49		
Trade .....	124.5	123.8	125.6	121.6	120.2	128.3	128.8	84.86	84.50	83.50	80.24	79.92		
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	129.4	129.3	128.9	123.4	122.4	129.7	129.2	102.92	101.63	101.30	99.17	95.95		
Service .....	149.2	148.4	148.0	143.7	142.0	154.6	154.8	78.22	78.19	77.52	74.20	73.91		
Industrial composite .....	118.1	117.5	119.0	118.6	118.3	122.3	123.5	107.26	106.99	106.10	100.98	100.85		
<u>Province and region</u>														
Atlantic region .....	--	107.9	109.8	107.9	108.8	116.6	116.5	--	90.06	89.90	85.90	85.09		
Newfoundland .....	--	108.8	109.8	108.8	113.0	124.7	123.5	--	96.56	95.15	91.03	89.94		
Prince Edward Island .....	--	104.8	106.0	101.7	98.4	128.0	122.3	--	76.64	76.96	73.83	73.82		
Nova Scotia .....	--	107.9	110.3	108.3	107.7	113.4	114.2	--	86.91	87.20	83.57	82.66		
New Brunswick .....	--	107.8	109.7	107.4	108.4	114.6	114.4	--	90.84	90.96	86.48	85.71		
Quebec .....	--	113.8	114.9	115.2	115.2	119.0	119.7	--	105.14	104.43	98.83	98.98		
Ontario .....	--	120.7	123.2	122.4	122.2	124.2	126.3	--	109.78	109.01	103.89	103.35		
Prairie region .....	--	117.6	118.2	115.4	114.7	123.1	123.1	--	101.80	100.80	94.83	95.12		
Manitoba .....	--	113.1	114.2	109.9	109.5	118.3	118.6	--	96.97	96.51	89.27	89.49		
Saskatchewan .....	--	113.9	114.0	111.6	111.0	122.4	121.7	--	99.72	98.23	92.46	93.65		
Alberta .....	--	122.8	123.2	121.8	120.6	127.4	127.7	--	106.28	105.08	100.02	100.12		
British Columbia .....	--	121.9	121.8	125.7	123.4	127.5	128.1	--	117.96	115.77	112.12	113.21		
Yukon .....	--	110.5	108.7	91.8	92.0	132.0	133.6	--	150.92	144.72	134.77	131.71		
Northwest Territories .....	--	91.1	93.1	89.0	88.5	100.0	107.1	--	169.53	164.07	160.79	158.42		
Canada .....	118.1	117.5	119.0	118.6	118.3	122.3	123.5	107.99	106.99	106.10	100.98	100.85		

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MARCH AND APRIL 1968

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MARCH 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased by 0.7 p.c. from 117.1 in February to 117.9 in March and was 0.6 p.c. lower than in March of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.4 was 0.4 p.c. higher than the February adjusted index of 121.9

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, forestry showed an increase of 4.4 p.c.; and the durables component of manufacturing showed a 2.0 p.c. increase resulting from the settlement of industrial disputes in transportation equipment. Other changes ranged from a 0.3 p.c. decline in transportation, communication, and other utilities, to a 0.9 p.c. increase in construction. All regions showed increases ranging from 0.1 p.c. in Quebec and British Columbia to 1.4 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$107.50 were slightly higher than in February and \$6.52 higher than in March of last year. Among the industry divisions, transportation equipment showed a drop of \$7.64 following the settlement of an industrial dispute in motor vehicles where employees were recalled only for the latter part of the reference week. Finance, insurance, and real estate showed the largest increase (\$2.33). All regions showed slight increases.

APRIL 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment increased to 119.5 in April from 117.9 in March. Construction showed the largest increase, while smaller rises occurred in both components of manufacturing. Increases are indicated for average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level and also in most components. Average weekly wages and salaries increased substantially in the durable goods component of manufacturing as a result of short time last month, wage increases, and overtime following the settlement of industrial disputes.

Labour Division  
Employment SectionJune 1968  
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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)						Average weekly wages and salaries			
	Unadjusted						Seasonally- adjusted			
	Apr. 1968	Mar. 1968	Feb. 1968	Apr. 1967	Mar. 1967	Feb. 1968	Mar. 1968	Apr. 1968	Feb. 1968	Apr. 1967
	1961=100						dollars			
<u>Industry division</u>										
Forestry .....	57.4	65.4	75.9	67.8	79.2	91.8	95.8	123.44	125.56	122.30
Mining .....	106.7	109.1	107.7	104.8	107.8	109.7	110.4	139.16	138.69	128.16
Manufacturing .....	119.9	119.3	117.8	121.7	122.0	120.2	121.3	114.23	111.42	106.05
Durable goods .....	129.8	129.0	125.9	134.1	134.7	127.1	129.7	123.70	118.58	113.44
Non-durable goods .....	111.9	111.5	111.2	111.6	111.8	114.6	114.6	105.38	104.74	98.92
Construction .....	110.9	104.0	102.6	115.6	112.9	123.4	123.4	136.35	135.83	132.78
Transportation, communication and other utilities .....	--	105.5	105.4	109.0	105.7	110.4	110.7	--	120.12	111.17
Trade .....	125.8	124.8	123.8	122.7	121.6	128.4	128.4	85.69	85.09	81.04
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	129.0	129.5	129.3	123.7	123.4	129.8	129.8	105.22	103.94	99.19
Service .....	150.8	149.0	148.4	147.0	143.7	154.2	154.2	79.62	78.17	74.60
Industrial composite .....	119.5	117.9	117.1	119.3	118.6	122.4	122.4	108.70	107.50	102.32
<u>Province and region</u>										
Atlantic region .....	--	108.8	107.8	106.4	107.9	118.1	116.5	--	90.90	85.70
Newfoundland .....	--	107.1	108.9	105.7	108.8	124.5	124.8	--	98.77	92.29
Prince Edward Island .....	--	106.6	104.9	106.0	101.7	130.6	128.2	--	76.51	71.05
Nova Scotia .....	--	110.4	107.7	108.7	108.3	115.7	113.1	--	87.48	82.94
New Brunswick .....	--	108.2	107.4	104.0	107.4	116.1	114.2	--	91.40	86.28
Quebec .....	--	112.6	112.7	116.8	115.2	118.0	117.9	--	105.79	100.57
Ontario .....	--	122.1	120.7	123.1	122.4	125.4	124.2	--	110.08	105.34
Prairie region .....	--	117.4	116.7	115.5	115.4	122.9	122.1	--	102.34	95.07
Manitoba .....	--	111.0	110.5	111.4	109.9	116.2	115.6	--	98.05	90.10
Saskatchewan .....	--	114.8	113.5	113.3	111.6	122.8	122.0	--	100.13	94.63
Alberta .....	--	123.9	123.3	119.8	121.8	128.5	127.9	--	106.45	99.19
British Columbia .....	--	123.6	122.2	126.3	125.7	127.9	127.8	--	118.58	112.12
Yukon .....	--	120.5	114.5	95.5	91.8	145.1	136.8	--	155.79	137.73
Northwest Territories .....	--	92.8	91.0	93.4	89.0	101.7	99.9	--	171.90	159.35
Canada .....	117.9	117.1	119.3	118.6	118.6	122.4	121.9	107.50	107.17	102.32
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APRIL AND MAY 1968

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APRIL 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased by 0.9 p.p. from 118.0 in March to 119.0 in April and was 0.3 p.c. lower than in April of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 121.8 was 1.1 p.c. higher than the March index.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes were an increase of 12.1 p.c. in forestry and a decrease of 1.3 p.c. in construction. Other changes ranged from a decrease of 0.3 p.c. in transportation, communication, and other utilities, to an increase of 1.1 p.c. in the durable goods component of manufacturing. Among the regions, changes ranged from decreases of 0.2 p.c. in Quebec and British Columbia to an increase of 1.8 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$108.97 were \$1.40 higher than in March and \$6.65 higher than in April of last year. The largest change was in durables where an increase of \$4.83 was recorded. This was largely the result of wage increases and overtime following the settlement of industrial disputes in transportation equipment. Forestry showed a decrease of \$1.75 with smaller changes being recorded in other industry divisions. All regions showed increases, the largest being \$2.57 in Ontario where the effects of the industrial disputes in transportation equipment were felt most strongly.

MAY 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment increased to 121.8 in May from 119.0 in April. All industry divisions showed increases, the largest being in mining, construction, and service. In these three industries, decreases were recorded in average weekly wages and salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries showed a slight increase. Further industry and area detail other than that given in the table below is not yet available.

	Employment index numbers (1961=100)			Average weekly wages and salaries		
	May 1968	April 1968	May 1967	May 1968	April 1968	May 1967
				dollars		
Forestry .....	..	57.6	91.2	..	123.85	109.45
Mining .....	112.3	107.4	108.9	136.69	138.63	127.87
Manufacturing .....	121.9	120.1	122.9	114.41	114.29	105.86
Durable goods .....	132.0	130.2	133.9	123.56	123.45	113.11
Non-durable goods .....	113.8	111.9	114.0	105.79	105.68	99.01
Construction .....	121.8	110.5	123.3	135.35	136.71	130.68
Transportation, communication and other utilities ....	..	107.5	112.3	..	119.90	111.71
Trade .....	127.0	126.0	124.2	86.24	85.73	81.45
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	130.8	129.5	125.0	105.47	104.63	99.35
Service .....	154.5	150.0	154.8	77.46	78.88	74.49
Industrial composite .....	121.8	119.0	122.3	109.36	108.97	102.19

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Labour Division  
Employment Section

July 1968  
8003-504



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries (1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)						Average weekly wages and salaries						
	Unadjusted						Seasonally- adjusted		dollars				
	May 1968	April 1968	March 1968	May 1967	April 1967	March 1968	April 1968	May 1968					
1961=100													
<u>Industry division</u>													
Forestry .....	..	57.6	65.0	91.2	67.8	106.7	95.2	..	123.85	125.60	109.45	122.30	
Mining .....	112.3	107.4	109.4	108.9	104.8	111.2	110.7	136.69	138.63	139.01	127.87	128.16	
Manufacturing .....	121.9	120.1	119.4	122.9	121.7	122.1	121.4	114.41	114.29	111.48	105.86	106.05	
Durable goods .....	132.0	130.2	129.0	133.9	134.1	131.1	129.7	123.56	123.45	113.11	113.44	113.44	
Non-durable goods .....	113.8	111.9	111.6	114.0	111.6	114.8	114.7	105.79	105.68	104.82	99.01	98.92	
Construction .....	121.8	110.5	104.4	123.3	115.6	122.3	123.9	135.35	136.71	136.59	130.68	132.78	
Transportation, communication and other utilities .....	..	107.5	105.6	112.3	109.0	110.2	110.5	..	119.90	120.19	111.71	111.17	
Trade .....	127.0	126.0	124.8	124.2	122.7	128.1	128.4	86.24	85.73	84.99	81.45	81.04	
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	130.8	129.5	129.7	125.0	123.7	130.4	130.0	105.47	104.63	103.93	99.35	99.19	
Service .....	154.5	150.0	149.2	154.8	147.0	154.4	154.5	77.46	78.88	78.12	74.49	74.60	
Industrial composite .....	121.8	119.0	118.0	122.3	119.3	122.9	122.6	109.36	108.97	107.57	102.19	102.32	
<u>Province and region</u>													
Atlantic region .....	..	110.0	108.9	113.1	106.4	120.3	118.2	..	90.62	91.23	84.04	85.70	
Newfoundland .....	..	112.0	107.8	114.5	105.7	126.8	125.3	..	100.51	99.53	91.02	92.29	
Prince Edward Island .....	..	111.5	107.1	121.5	106.0	123.5	131.2	..	74.91	76.29	68.79	71.05	
Nova Scotia .....	..	111.2	109.8	112.4	108.7	116.7	115.1	..	87.51	87.89	82.33	82.94	
New Brunswick .....	..	107.1	108.6	112.2	104.0	119.8	116.5	..	89.38	91.36	83.09	86.28	
Quebec .....	..	113.6	112.6	119.7	116.8	117.8	118.0	..	106.61	105.80	100.36	100.57	
Ontario .....	..	123.5	122.2	124.9	123.1	125.7	125.5	..	112.70	110.13	105.62	105.34	
Prairie region .....	..	118.1	117.6	120.5	115.5	123.8	123.2	..	102.76	102.52	95.07	95.07	
Manitoba .....	..	112.2	111.1	115.5	111.4	115.9	116.3	..	98.76	98.16	91.09	90.10	
Saskatchewan .....	..	117.3	115.0	119.6	113.3	122.8	123.0	..	102.08	100.35	94.90	94.63	
Alberta .....	..	123.4	124.2	125.2	119.8	130.0	128.9	..	106.12	106.67	98.28	99.19	
British Columbia .....	..	124.6	124.0	129.3	126.3	128.1	128.3	..	119.26	118.52	113.97	114.09	
Yukon .....	..	122.6	121.3	119.6	95.5	126.6	146.1	..	158.20	155.61	136.36	137.73	
Northwest Territories .....	..	93.8	92.6	101.4	93.4	98.7	101.5	..	166.98	173.08	151.83	159.35	
Canada .....	121.8	119.0	118.0	122.3	119.3	122.9	122.6	109.36	108.97	107.57	102.19	102.32	

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MAY AND JUNE 1968

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### MAY 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased by 2.7 p.c. from 119.3 in April to 122.5 in May and showed virtually no change from May of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 122.7 was 0.6 p.c. lower than the April index.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes were decreases in construction (2.8 p.c.) and transportation, communication, and other utilities (1.1 p.c.). Other changes ranged from a decrease of 0.6 p.c. in the non-durables component of manufacturing to an increase of 0.6 p.c. in forestry. Among the regions, British Columbia showed an increase of 0.5 p.c. All other regions showed decreases ranging from 0.2 p.c. in Quebec to 2.2 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$109.35 were slightly higher than in April and \$6.16 higher than in May of last year. The largest change was in forestry where a decrease of \$9.18 was recorded. Other changes were slight. Among the regions, the Atlantic showed a decrease of \$1.30. Increases were recorded in all other regions.

### JUNE 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment increased to 124.8 in June from 122.5 in May. All industry divisions showed increases, the largest being in forestry and construction. Average weekly wages and salaries, at the composite level, showed a very slight decrease. Among the industry divisions, forestry showed a substantial increase. Other changes were slight.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

August 1968  
8003-504

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries (1)

Industry division and province	Employment Index numbers (1961=100)										Average weekly wages and salaries				
	Unadjusted					Seasonally- adjusted					dollars				
	June 1968	May 1968	April 1968	June 1967	May 1967	May 1968	April 1968	May 1968	June 1968	June 1967					
	1961=100														
<b>Industry division</b>															
Forestry .....	110.0	93.7	58.3	113.4	91.2	108.6	108.0	113.13	122.05	122.31	105.90	109.45			
Mining .....	113.8	111.2	107.3	112.5	108.9	111.2	111.1	137.67	137.53	138.46	128.92	127.87			
Manufacturing .....	123.7	122.1	120.2	124.7	122.9	122.2	122.2	114.32	114.43	114.33	106.60	105.86			
Durable goods .....	132.9	132.2	130.2	134.4	133.9	131.1	131.1	123.27	123.68	123.52	114.28	113.11			
Non-durable goods .....	116.3	113.9	112.1	116.8	114.0	115.0	115.0	106.06	105.76	105.71	99.49	99.01			
Construction .....	126.2	122.2	111.5	128.0	123.3	119.9	123.4	135.96	136.64	136.93	132.25	130.68			
Transportation, communication and other utilities .....															
Trade .....	128.8	127.4	126.1	126.1	124.2	128.8	128.2	88.09	86.25	85.78	82.14	81.45			
Finance, insurance and real estate Service .....	131.3	130.3	129.4	126.4	125.0	131.0	130.3	105.58	105.69	105.13	99.81	99.35			
	158.8	156.7	151.5	160.7	154.8	156.0	155.9	80.92	78.84	78.31	75.23	74.49			
<b>Industrial composite</b> .....	124.8	122.5	119.3	125.3	122.3	122.7	123.4	109.02	109.35	108.97	102.96	102.19			
<b>Province and region</b>															
Atlantic region .....															
Newfoundland .....	116.1	110.2	120.6	113.1	117.9	120.5	120.5	89.54	90.84	90.84	84.56	84.04			
Prince Edward Island .....	117.5	112.6	124.8	114.5	121.0	127.5	127.5	98.41	100.85	100.85	90.38	91.02			
Nova Scotia .....	131.7	112.9	135.3	121.5	125.4	125.0	125.0	72.94	74.57	74.57	71.20	68.79			
New Brunswick .....	113.9	110.9	116.4	112.4	114.9	116.4	116.4	87.78	87.84	87.84	82.55	82.33			
Quebec .....	116.3	107.4	121.7	112.2	118.6	120.1	120.1	87.58	89.40	89.40	84.43	83.09			
Ontario .....	117.7	113.9	122.3	119.7	117.9	118.1	118.1	107.74	106.76	106.76	101.16	100.36			
Prairie region .....	125.8	126.7	124.9	124.9	125.7	126.0	126.0	112.88	112.61	112.61	96.97	95.07			
Manitoba .....	122.0	118.3	124.9	120.5	122.4	124.0	124.0	102.98	102.61	102.61	96.99	95.07			
Saskatchewan .....	114.9	112.8	118.4	115.5	115.2	116.5	116.5	99.20	98.52	98.52	92.38	91.09			
Alberta .....	122.2	117.2	124.1	119.6	121.5	122.7	122.7	102.06	101.94	101.94	97.01	94.90			
British Columbia .....	127.9	123.5	130.7	125.2	129.0	130.1	130.1	106.24	106.05	106.05	100.53	98.28			
Yukon .....	128.2	124.6	132.6	129.3	128.7	128.1	128.1	120.21	119.37	119.37	115.35	113.97			
Northwest Territories .....	124.4	119.0	128.0	119.6	115.7	122.8	122.8	157.76	155.90	155.90	143.86	136.36			
	104.6	96.5	107.6	101.4	99.9	101.5	101.5	168.22	170.20	170.20	148.99	151.83			
Canada .....	124.8	122.5	119.3	125.3	122.3	122.7	123.4	109.02	109.35	108.97	102.96	102.19			

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JUNE AND JULY 1968

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### June 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) increased by 1.5 p.c. from 122.7 in May to 124.5 in June and was 0.6 p.c. lower than in June of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 121.3 was 1.4 p.c. lower than the May index.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. All industry divisions showed decreases from May to June except finance, insurance and real estate which showed no change. The largest declines were recorded in forestry (12.3 p.c.), mining (3.1 p.c.) and construction (2.7 p.c.). All regions showed decreases, ranging from 1.2 p.c. in the Prairie Region to 2.1 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$109.89 were \$0.50 higher than in May and \$6.93 higher than in June of last year. The largest change was in forestry where an increase of \$7.40 was recorded. All regions showed increases except Quebec, where a small decline occurred. The largest increase was recorded in the Prairie Region (\$2.18).

### July 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment decreased to 121.4 in July from 124.5 in June. Among the industry divisions, the durable goods component of manufacturing showed a seasonal drop associated with the model change-over in the automotive industry. Large industrial disputes in transportation, communication, and other utilities and trade contributed to the decline in the composite index. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries increased from \$109.89 in June to \$111.89 in July. Further industry and area detail other than that presented in the table below is not yet available.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

September 1968  
8003-504

# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)						Average weekly wages and salaries							
	Unadjusted						Seasonally- adjusted							
	July 1968	June 1968	May 1968	July 1967	June 1967	June 1968	June 1968	May 1968	July 1968	June 1968	May 1968	July 1967	June 1967	
	1961=100						dollars							
<u>Industry division</u>														
Forestry .....	110.8	109.6	94.1	118.7	113.4	95.7	109.1	109.1	117.21	120.71	113.31	109.10	105.90	
Mining .....	113.8	113.5	111.0	113.6	112.5	107.6	111.0	111.0	135.51	137.99	137.74	127.25	128.92	
Manufacturing .....	122.9	123.2	122.0	124.3	124.7	120.4	121.7	120.4	113.56	114.03	114.35	106.12	106.60	
Durable goods .....	130.1	132.3	131.9	133.4	134.4	129.1	130.8	129.1	122.29	123.02	123.61	113.64	114.28	
Non-durable goods .....	117.1	115.9	114.0	117.0	116.8	113.4	114.4	114.4	105.73	105.74	105.70	99.24	99.49	
Construction .....	129.8	127.7	123.1	133.5	128.0	117.5	120.8	120.8	138.02	137.38	136.49	133.59	132.25	
Transportation, communication and other utilities .....	..	110.6	109.6	116.5	115.3	107.7	109.5	109.5	..	122.09	121.17	113.82	112.59	
Trade .....	125.9	129.0	127.7	124.5	126.1	128.9	129.1	129.1	88.32	87.23	86.39	82.51	82.14	
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	132.1	131.4	130.8	127.2	126.4	131.5	131.5	131.5	106.73	106.30	106.07	100.08	99.81	
Service .....	160.8	160.0	157.3	163.1	160.7	154.0	156.6	156.6	79.50	79.82	78.76	76.31	75.23	
Industrial composite .....	121.4	124.5	122.7	125.8	125.3	121.3	123.0	123.0	111.89	109.89	109.39	103.35	102.96	
<u>Province and region</u>														
Atlantic region .....	..	121.4	116.2	124.6	120.6	115.5	118.0	118.0	..	90.02	89.50	83.98	84.56	
Newfoundland .....	..	128.0	117.9	132.5	124.8	116.6	121.4	121.4	..	98.85	98.70	89.87	90.38	
Prince Edward Island .....	..	139.2	132.9	146.6	135.3	130.8	126.5	126.5	..	72.31	72.48	68.69	71.20	
Nova Scotia .....	..	116.8	113.5	117.4	116.4	113.9	114.5	114.5	..	88.19	87.89	81.98	82.55	
New Brunswick .....	..	121.2	116.7	126.2	121.7	115.3	119.0	119.0	..	88.02	87.19	83.93	84.43	
Quebec .....	..	120.0	118.1	122.7	122.3	116.8	118.3	118.3	..	107.63	107.93	101.63	101.16	
Ontario .....	..	126.6	125.9	125.9	126.7	123.9	125.8	125.8	..	113.23	112.85	106.51	106.07	
Prairie region .....	..	124.9	122.2	126.6	124.9	121.1	122.6	122.6	..	105.12	102.94	97.82	96.99	
Manitoba .....	..	117.5	115.3	119.8	118.4	114.4	115.6	115.6	..	100.97	99.31	93.45	92.38	
Saskatchewan .....	..	124.7	122.2	126.1	124.1	120.1	121.5	121.5	..	104.78	101.83	96.92	97.01	
Alberta .....	..	131.3	128.0	132.6	130.7	127.3	129.1	129.1	..	108.40	106.16	101.53	100.53	
British Columbia .....	..	130.8	128.6	135.2	132.6	127.4	129.1	129.1	..	121.63	120.20	115.62	115.35	
Yukon .....	..	135.1	130.2	136.0	128.0	118.0	121.1	121.1	..	171.85	158.89	140.19	143.86	
Northwest Territories .....	..	111.3	104.8	112.0	107.6	99.3	100.1	100.1	..	174.60	169.09	159.42	148.99	
Canada .....	124.5	122.7	125.8	125.3	121.3	123.0	123.0	123.0	..	109.89	109.39	103.35	102.96	

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July 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) decreased by 0.8 per cent from 124.6 in June to 123.6 in July and was 1.7 per cent lower than in July of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 120.5 was 0.7 per cent lower than the June index of 121.4.

Seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, the largest decreases were recorded in forestry (5.4 per cent), construction (2.1 per cent) and transportation, communication and other utilities (4.0 per cent). The decline in communication affected all regions and can be attributed to the industrial dispute among the post office employees. Manufacturing showed an increase after seasonal adjustment. All regions showed decreases ranging from 0.2 per cent in Ontario to 1.9 per cent in the Prairie Region.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$109.83 were slightly lower than in June and \$6.48 higher than in July of last year. The largest month-over-month increase was recorded in construction (\$2.71) while forestry showed the largest decrease (\$2.34). Among the regions, the largest change was a decline of 79 cents in British Columbia.

August 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment increased to 125.4 in August from 123.6 in July. Most industry divisions showed increases. The manufacturing index rose substantially reflecting a return to work following July layoffs associated with the model changeover in motor vehicles. The termination of an industrial dispute involving post office employees contributed to the rise in the composite index. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries showed an increase of \$1.34. Service and trade showed slight declines while all other industry divisions showed increases. Further industry and area detail other than that shown in the table below is not yet available.

Labour Division  
Employment SectionOctober 1968  
8003-504



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries(1)

Industry division and province	Employment index numbers (1961=100)						Average weekly wages and salaries					
	Unadjusted						Seasonally- adjusted			dollars		
	Aug. 1968	July 1968	June 1968	Aug. 1967	July 1967	June 1968	Aug. 1968	July 1968	June 1968			
	1961=100											
<u>Industry division</u>												
Forestry .....	116.5	113.1	108.6	124.5	118.7	90.7	95.9	119.12	117.48	119.82	108.06	109.10
Mining .....	112.5	114.0	113.4	113.5	113.6	109.6	109.5	139.50	136.45	137.94	128.62	127.25
Manufacturing .....	124.2	121.6	123.3	126.7	124.3	120.8	120.5	115.28	113.21	114.22	106.73	106.12
Durable goods .....	133.5	128.1	132.4	136.0	133.4	129.9	129.2	123.75	121.74	123.27	114.79	113.64
Non-durable goods .....	116.7	116.3	116.0	119.3	117.0	113.4	113.5	107.46	105.63	105.88	99.33	99.24
Construction .....	132.3	131.7	128.5	135.4	133.5	115.7	118.2	142.87	140.23	137.52	135.13	133.59
Transportation, communication and other utilities .....	..	107.8	110.3	115.9	116.5	103.1	107.4	..	122.24	122.00	113.52	113.82
Trade .....	127.2	127.0	128.8	124.4	124.5	128.4	128.7	87.87	88.23	87.21	82.23	82.51
Finance, insurance and real estate .....	132.2	132.9	131.8	128.1	127.2	132.7	131.9	107.30	106.65	106.10	99.83	100.08
Service .....	162.5	162.7	160.9	163.9	163.1	154.5	154.8	79.20	79.49	79.70	76.41	76.31
Industrial composite .....	125.4	123.6	124.6	127.0	125.8	120.5	121.4	111.17	109.83	109.92	103.66	103.35
<u>Province and region</u>												
Atlantic region .....	..	122.8	121.5	126.3	124.6	114.4	115.6	..	89.29	90.00	84.42	83.98
Newfoundland .....	..	128.1	124.7	137.2	132.5	112.7	113.6	..	99.53	99.79	89.53	89.87
Prince Edward Island .....	..	146.1	139.7	142.0	146.6	130.3	131.2	..	68.82	72.44	71.82	68.69
Nova Scotia .....	..	117.0	117.3	117.5	117.4	112.2	114.4	..	86.76	88.24	82.60	81.98
New Brunswick .....	..	124.1	122.8	128.4	126.2	116.6	116.8	..	87.58	87.47	84.23	83.93
Quebec .....	..	119.2	120.0	123.8	122.7	115.8	116.8	..	107.55	107.36	122.03	101.63
Ontario .....	..	124.4	126.7	127.7	125.9	123.8	124.0	..	113.45	113.33	107.03	106.51
Prairie region .....	..	125.2	125.1	126.8	126.6	119.0	121.3	..	105.10	105.39	97.94	97.82
Manitoba .....	..	117.4	117.4	119.7	119.8	112.5	114.3	..	101.78	101.33	93.51	93.45
Saskatchewan .....	..	123.6	125.1	126.1	126.1	116.3	120.4	..	104.34	105.21	97.22	96.92
Alberta .....	..	132.4	131.7	133.2	132.6	125.5	127.7	..	107.89	108.53	101.62	101.53
British Columbia .....	..	132.3	131.3	135.4	135.2	125.9	127.9	..	121.15	121.94	114.98	115.62
Yukon .....	..	135.3	136.0	114.5	136.0	114.9	118.8	..	171.43	171.60	140.76	140.19
Northwest Territories .....	..	119.2	111.1	118.9	112.0	102.1	99.1	..	169.79	174.28	158.82	159.42
Canada .....	125.4	123.6	124.6	127.0	125.8	120.5	121.4	111.17	109.83	109.92	103.66	103.35

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER, 1968

### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

AOÛT ET SEPTEMBRE, 1968

(These data are subject to revision)

AUGUST, 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased by 2.0 per cent from 124.0 in July to 126.5 in August and was 0.4 per cent lower than in August of last year. Seasonally-adjusted, the index at 121.7 was 0.7 per cent higher than the July index of 120.8.

Seasonally adjusted employment indexes. Among the industry divisions, service and mining both showed decreases of 1.5 per cent. The largest increase (4.9 per cent) was recorded in transportation, communication, and other utilities, largely as a result of the termination of the Canada-wide dispute in the post office. The durable goods component of manufacturing showed an increase of 1.8 per cent while non-durables decreased by 0.9 per cent. All regions showed increases ranging from 0.2 per cent in British Columbia to 1.3 per cent in the Prairie Region.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries at \$110.90 were 97 cents higher than in July and \$7.24 higher than in August of last year. Among the industry divisions, trade showed a slight decrease. The largest increases were recorded in forestry (\$2.43) and mining (\$2.45). All regions showed increases, the largest being a rise of \$1.28 in Quebec.

SEPTEMBER 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment decreased slightly from 126.5 in August to 126.1 in September. Most industries showed decreases. Total manufacturing remained unchanged while trade showed an increase. Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased with most industry divisions contributing to the rise. Further industry and area detail than that given in the table below is not yet available.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

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AOÛT, 1968

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi, (1961=100) non corrigé des variations saisonnières a augmenté de 2.0 p. 100 passant de 124.0 en juillet à 126.5 en août, ce qui est 0.4 p. 100 de moins qu'en août de l'année précédente. Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice est de 121.7, soit 0.7 p. 100 de plus qu'en juillet (120.8).

Indices de l'emploi, corrigés des variations saisonnières Parmi les branches d'activité, les services et l'extraction minière ont tous deux vu leur indice diminuer de 1.5 p. 100. La plus forte augmentation (4.9 p. 100) a eu lieu dans la branche des transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique; elle s'explique, dans une grande mesure, par la fin de la grève des postes qui touchait l'ensemble du Canada. En ce qui concerne la fabrication, il y a eu une augmentation de 1.8 p. 100 dans le secteur des biens durables et une diminution de 0.9 p. 100 dans le secteur des biens non durables. L'indice de l'emploi a augmenté dans toutes les régions, depuis 0.2 p. 100 en Colombie-Britannique jusqu'à 1.3 p. 100 dans la région des Prairies.

Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne. Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne (110.90) a augmenté de \$0.97 par rapport à juillet et de \$7.24 par rapport au mois d'août 1967. Parmi les branches d'activité, le commerce accuse un léger recul. Les plus fortes augmentations se sont produites dans l'industrie forestière (\$2.43) et l'extraction minière (\$2.45). Il y a eu des augmentations dans toutes les régions, mais la plus importante est celle de \$1.28 au Québec.

SEPTEMBRE 1968

Les chiffres provisoires font apparaître une légère régression de l'indice synthétique de l'emploi, qui tombe à 126.1 en septembre par rapport à 126.5 en août. Une diminution est enregistrée dans la plupart des branches d'activité. Il n'y a pas eu de changement dans la fabrication prise dans son ensemble, alors qu'il y a eu une augmentation dans le commerce. Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté dans la plupart des branches d'activité. Il n'est pas encore possible de détailler davantage que dans le tableau ci-après les statistiques par branche d'activité et par secteur.

Division du travail  
Section de l'emploi

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division -- Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers								Average weekly wages and salaries -- Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne					
	Nombres-indices de l'emploi													
	Unadjusted								Seasonally-adjusted					
	Non corrigés des variations saisonnières				Corrigés des variations saisonnières									
Sept. 1968	Aug. 1968	July Juillet 1968	Sept. 1967	Aug. Août 1967	Sept. 1968	Aug. Août 1968	July Juillet 1968	Sept. 1968	Aug. Août 1968	July Juillet 1968	Sept. 1967	Aug. Août 1967	Sept. 1967	Aug. Août 1967
(1)	(1)	(1)	1961=100	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Industry division -- Branche d'activité														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	104.0	113.9	112.9	120.0	124.5	91.8	90.6	90.6	125.82	120.82	118.39	118.69	108.06	
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	109.8	112.5	114.8	110.0	113.5	108.7	110.3	110.3	142.52	139.27	136.82	130.39	128.62	
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	125.2	125.2	121.8	125.5	126.7	121.6	121.0	121.0	117.53	114.54	113.18	108.45	106.73	
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	133.3	133.7	128.2	135.4	136.0	132.4	130.0	130.0	128.15	123.92	121.68	116.74	114.79	
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	117.1	118.3	116.7	117.4	119.3	112.8	113.8	113.8	107.63	105.99	105.64	100.75	99.33	
Construction .....	130.8	134.1	133.0	133.7	135.4	116.3	116.8	116.8	144.60	141.51	140.41	135.98	135.13	
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services	..	114.0	108.2	113.7	115.9	108.6	103.5	103.5	..	123.26	122.37	115.28	113.52	
d'utilité publique .....	130.6	127.7	127.1	126.9	124.4	128.8	128.5	128.5	87.99	87.90	88.36	82.17	82.23	
Trade -- Commerce .....	131.9	132.6	133.0	127.1	128.1	131.4	132.8	132.8	107.41	107.63	107.03	99.53	99.83	
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	163.4	164.9	163.9	160.4	163.9	153.3	155.6	155.6	79.70	79.38	79.35	75.82	76.41	
Service -- Services .....	126.1	126.5	124.0	125.9	127.0	121.7	120.8	120.8	112.88	110.90	109.93	104.77	103.66	
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....														
Province and region -- Province et région														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	..	125.0	123.5	124.2	126.3	115.9	115.0	115.0	..	90.01	89.14	85.98	84.42	
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	..	130.8	129.0	134.1	137.2	116.8	113.5	113.5	..	99.49	98.42	91.69	89.53	
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	..	146.0	147.1	140.7	142.0	130.7	131.2	131.2	..	70.72	69.32	70.83	71.82	
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ...	..	119.5	117.5	117.6	117.5	114.7	112.7	112.7	..	88.21	87.22	83.84	82.60	
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	..	126.0	124.9	124.2	128.4	116.2	117.4	117.4	..	87.80	87.30	86.06	84.23	
Québec .....	..	121.9	119.6	122.7	123.8	116.9	116.1	116.1	..	108.98	107.70	103.05	102.03	
Ontario .....	..	128.4	124.7	127.1	127.7	125.2	124.1	124.1	..	114.67	113.65	107.82	107.03	
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	..	126.7	125.4	125.1	126.8	120.7	119.2	119.2	..	105.13	104.96	99.03	97.94	
Manitoba .....	..	118.9	117.6	119.1	119.7	114.0	112.7	112.7	..	101.93	101.72	94.22	93.51	
Saskatchewan .....	..	125.5	123.5	124.7	126.1	118.1	116.2	116.2	..	102.08	103.02	97.21	97.22	
Alberta .....	..	133.7	132.9	130.4	133.2	127.3	126.0	126.0	..	108.72	108.13	103.49	101.62	
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	..	133.9	132.9	133.1	135.4	126.7	126.4	126.4	..	122.02	121.17	117.23	114.98	
Yukon .....	..	140.7	141.4	119.0	129.5	119.9	120.1	120.1	..	164.21	169.24	152.82	137.06	
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	126.1	121.8	109.5	115.0	106.0	104.3	104.3	..	174.40	168.97	166.16	155.08	
Canada .....	126.1	126.5	124.0	125.9	127.0	121.7	120.8	120.8	112.75	110.90	109.93	104.77	103.66	

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SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER 1968

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#### SEPTEMBER 1968

The unadjusted index of employment (1961=100) at the industrial composite level was 126.6 in September 1968 or a decrease of 0.3 p.c. over August 1968. Compared to September 1967, the index was 0.7 p.c. higher.

Seasonally adjusted, the composite index at 122.8 increased by 0.6 p.c. over August 1968. Commercial services increased 3.6 p.c. while mines, quarries and oil wells, manufacturing and transportation, communication and other utilities showed smaller increases. Decreases were recorded in the remaining industry divisions. At the industrial composite level, all regions except the Atlantic showed increases ranging from 1.5 p.c. in British Columbia to 0.1 p.c. in Quebec.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased to \$112.43 representing increases of \$1.51 and \$7.66 over August 1968 and September 1967, respectively. Increases were recorded in all industry divisions with the larger changes in manufacturing (\$2.53), construction (\$2.47), mines, quarries and oil wells (\$2.12), forestry (\$1.72) and transportation, communication and other utilities (\$1.72). All regions showed increases with the largest change in Ontario (\$1.85).

#### OCTOBER 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate a slight drop in the composite index of employment from September to October. Forestry and construction showed the largest declines. Smaller declines were recorded in both the durables and non-durables components of manufacturing. Average weekly wages and salaries showed little change at the composite level. The largest increases were recorded in mining and finance, insurance and real estate while construction showed the largest decline.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

### COMMUNIQUÉ PROVISOIRE SUR L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE

SEPTEMBRE ET OCTOBRE 1968

(Les données sont sujettes à révision)

#### SEPTEMBRE 1968

L'indice général de l'emploi (1961=100), non corrigé des variations saisonnières, était de 126.6 en septembre 1968, soit une baisse de 0.3 p. 100 par rapport à août 1968; il était de 0.7 p. 100 supérieur à celui de septembre 1967.

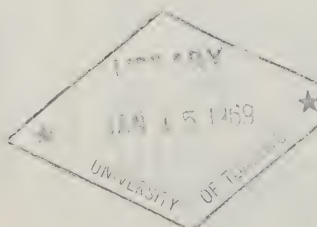
Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice général était de 122.8, soit 0.6 p. 100 de plus qu'en août 1968. Les services commerciaux ont accusé une hausse de 3.6 p. 100 et les mines, les carrières et les puits de pétrole, la fabrication et les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique ont marqué une légère augmentation. Les autres divisions de l'industrie ont connu une baisse. Dans toutes les régions sauf celle de l'Atlantique, l'indice général a enregistré une augmentation variant de 0.1 p. 100 au Québec à 1.5 p. 100 en Colombie-Britannique.

Au niveau de l'indice général, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été de \$112.43, soit \$1.51 et \$7.66 de plus qu'en août 1968 et septembre 1967 respectivement. Toutes les divisions de l'industrie ont accusé une hausse; voici les changements les plus importants: fabrication, \$2.53; construction, \$2.47; mines, carrières et puits de pétrole, \$2.12; exploitation forestière, \$1.72 et transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique, \$1.72. Toutes les régions ont connu une hausse mais c'est en Ontario que la variation a été la plus forte, soit \$1.85.

#### OCTOBRE 1968

Selon des estimations provisoires, l'indice général de l'emploi a diminué légèrement de septembre à octobre. Le forage et la construction ont accusé les plus fortes baisses. Dans le secteur de la fabrication les biens durables et non durables ont enregistré de légers reculs. L'indice général de la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a peu varié. Les hausses les plus marquées se sont produites dans l'extraction minière et les finances, les assurances et l'immobilier tandis que la construction a accusé la plus forte baisse.

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province  Branche d'activité et province	Employment Index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi						Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne					
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières						Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières					
	Oct. 1968	Sept. 1968	Aug. Août 1968	Oct. 1967	Sept. 1967	Aug. Août 1968	Oct. 1968	Sept. 1968	Aug. Août 1968	Oct. 1967	Sept. 1967	
	(1)	(1)	1961=100	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	dollars	(1)	(1)	
Industry division -- Branche d'activité												
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	102.6	108.6	115.4	115.9	120.0	88.4	93.0	122.07	122.31	120.59	118.69	
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	109.8	110.8	112.8	108.6	110.0	110.0	109.0	143.61	141.21	139.09	130.39	
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	124.7	125.5	125.3	123.3	125.5	122.7	121.7	117.17	117.01	114.48	108.45	
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	134.5	135.0	133.8	133.1	135.4	133.7	132.5	127.55	127.69	124.03	116.74	
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	116.8	117.8	118.4	115.4	117.4	113.8	112.9	107.50	107.11	105.75	100.75	
Construction .....	129.1	133.3	135.3	132.6	133.7	116.8	117.3	142.02	144.57	142.10	135.98	
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services	..	112.9	114.2	112.4	113.7	109.5	108.8	..	124.97	123.25	115.28	
Trade -- Commerce .....	132.0	130.2	128.0	128.8	126.9	128.8	129.1	88.56	87.98	87.97	82.17	
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	132.7	131.9	132.8	128.6	127.1	131.3	131.6	109.07	107.82	107.57	99.53	
Service -- Services .....	162.4	163.5	165.6	158.6	160.4	159.6	154.0	80.71	79.77	79.42	75.89	
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	125.7	126.6	126.9	124.8	125.9	122.8	122.0	112.59	112.43	110.92	104.77	
Province and region -- Province et région												
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	..	122.2	125.6	121.8	124.2	115.3	116.5	..	91.29	90.23	85.98	
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	..	125.5	131.1	130.0	134.1	113.0	117.1	..	100.72	100.04	91.69	
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	..	143.8	147.7	136.6	140.7	130.8	132.2	..	71.87	70.67	70.83	
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ....	..	118.4	120.7	116.7	117.6	114.6	115.9	..	89.43	88.12	82.97	
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	..	122.7	126.0	121.3	124.2	115.8	116.2	..	89.34	88.21	86.59	
Quebec .....	..	121.5	122.3	122.5	122.7	117.4	117.3	..	110.25	108.86	103.87	
Ontario .....	..	129.5	128.6	126.3	127.1	126.5	125.4	..	116.58	114.73	107.82	
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	..	125.9	126.9	123.9	125.1	121.2	120.9	..	105.93	105.28	99.04	
Manitoba .....	..	119.4	119.1	118.0	119.1	115.2	114.2	..	102.49	102.01	94.65	
Saskatchewan .....	..	124.3	125.7	125.0	124.7	118.8	118.3	..	103.77	102.18	97.21	
Alberta .....	..	131.9	134.1	128.4	130.4	127.5	127.7	..	109.42	108.94	103.49	
British Columbia -- Colombie-	..	133.8	134.5	129.4	133.1	129.1	127.2	..	123.39	121.98	117.23	
Yukon .....	..	140.2	140.7	114.0	119.0	125.4	119.9	..	164.43	164.21	152.82	
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	119.0	127.0	99.7	109.5	110.1	106.7	..	175.68	172.84	163.86	
Canada .....	125.7	126.6	126.9	124.8	125.9	122.8	122.0	112.59	112.43	110.92	105.10	
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OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER 1968

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#### OCTOBER 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) decreased by 0.6 per cent from 126.7 in September to 125.9 in October and was 0.9 per cent higher than in October of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted, the October index at 123.5 was 0.7 per cent higher than the September index of 123.0. Among the industry divisions, the largest increase was in service (1.3 per cent). No change was recorded in the durables component of manufacturing while non-durables showed a 0.6 per cent increase. Slight decreases were recorded in forestry and construction. Increases were recorded in all regions except Quebec which showed a slight decline.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose slightly from September to \$112.83 in October and were \$7.73 higher than in October of last year. Among the industry divisions, mining showed a rise of \$1.67 while the non-durables component of manufacturing increased by \$1.27. The largest decrease was recorded in construction (\$1.54). All regions except the Atlantic Region showed very slight increases.

#### NOVEMBER 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate a drop in the industrial composite index of employment in November 1968. Forestry, construction, service, and the non-durables component of manufacturing all contributed to the decline. Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level showed a slight rise. Construction showed no change, while all other industry divisions showed increases, the largest being in forestry. Further industry and area detail other than that given in the accompanying table is not yet available.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE - CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

OCTOBRE ET NOVEMBRE 1968

(Données sujettes à révision)

#### OCTOBRE 1968

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) non corrigé des variations saisonnières a baissé de 0.6 p. 100, passant de 126.7 en septembre à 125.9 en octobre, ce qui représente une hausse de 0.9 p. 100 sur octobre 1967.

Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice est de 123.5, soit 0.7 p. 100 de plus qu'en septembre (123.0). Parmi les branches d'activité, les services ont montré la plus forte augmentation (1.3 p. 100). Dans la fabrication les biens durables n'ont enregistré aucun changement tandis que les biens non durables ont augmenté de 0.6 p. 100. L'industrie forestière et la construction ont marqué de faibles baisses. L'indice de l'emploi a augmenté dans toutes les régions sauf au Québec où une faible baisse a été enregistrée.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne (\$112.83) est légèrement plus élevée qu'en septembre et de \$7.73 plus élevée qu'en octobre 1967. Parmi les branches d'activité, l'extraction minière a augmenté de \$1.67 et la fabrication des biens non durables de \$1.27. La construction a enregistré la plus forte baisse (\$1.54). Il y a eu des augmentations légères dans toutes les régions sauf celle de l'Atlantique.

#### NOVEMBRE 1968

Les chiffres provisoires font apparaître en novembre 1968 une légère régression de l'indice synthétique de l'emploi. L'industrie forestière, la construction, les services, et la fabrication des biens non durables ont tous contribué à cette baisse. Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté quelque peu. Il n'y a pas eu de changement dans la construction tandis que toutes les autres branches d'activité, l'industrie forestière en tête, marquaient des avances. Il n'est pas encore possible de détailler davantage que dans le tableau ci-après les statistiques par branche d'activité et par secteur.

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi					Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne						
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières						
	Nov. 1968(1)	Oct. 1968(1)	Sept. 1968	Nov. 1967	Oct. 1967	Oct. 1968(1)	Sept. 1968	Nov. 1968(1)	Oct. 1968(1)	Nov. 1967	Oct. 1967	
	1961=100					dollars						
Industry division -- Branche d'activité												
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	93.2	102.6	107.4	107.5	115.9	86.8	87.4	133.04	123.73	122.86	124.72	119.82
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	109.4	110.0	110.5	109.1	108.6	110.2	109.7	145.80	142.80	141.13	133.59	132.52
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	123.6	124.6	125.7	123.2	123.3	123.3	123.0	118.77	118.01	117.08	109.71	109.32
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	134.5	134.9	135.2	133.8	133.1	133.9	133.9	128.73	128.29	127.87	118.30	117.74
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durable .....	114.7	116.2	118.1	114.6	115.4	114.8	114.1	109.33	108.36	107.09	101.61	101.49
Construction .....	120.7	130.9	133.9	125.5	132.6	117.1	117.3	143.51	143.51	145.05	134.62	134.74
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services .....	..	111.7	113.0	111.8	112.4	110.3	109.6	..	125.07	124.81	116.42	115.92
d'utilité publique .....	135.7	132.0	130.3	132.9	128.8	129.7	128.9	88.62	88.27	88.18	81.24	81.83
Trade -- Commerce .....	132.3	132.0	131.7	128.7	128.6	131.6	131.1	109.24	108.37	107.84	99.73	99.13
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	159.2	163.0	164.4	153.0	158.6	162.6	160.5	81.67	80.05	79.62	77.09	76.44
Service -- Services .....	124.9	125.9	126.7	124.3	124.8	123.5	123.0	113.75	112.83	112.48	105.26	105.10
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	..	121.3	122.5	120.0	121.8	116.1	115.6	..	90.97	91.45	85.96	86.13
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	..	128.1	126.3	127.8	130.0	118.2	113.7	..	99.29	101.26	92.68	93.22
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	..	147.4	150.4	135.1	136.6	132.8	136.8	..	68.72	69.40	69.80	70.17
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse .....	..	116.7	118.2	116.1	116.7	113.5	114.4	..	89.90	89.68	83.55	82.97
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	..	119.9	122.8	118.4	121.3	116.6	115.9	..	88.96	89.43	83.85	86.59
Québec .....	..	120.8	121.8	120.8	122.5	117.5	117.7	..	110.55	110.21	104.19	103.87
Ontario .....	..	129.5	129.7	127.5	126.5	127.6	126.7	..	117.24	116.71	108.42	108.23
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	..	124.6	125.9	122.3	123.9	122.3	121.2	..	106.34	105.99	98.68	99.04
Manitoba .....	..	119.0	119.6	116.6	118.0	116.8	115.4	..	102.82	102.23	94.33	94.65
Saskatchewan .....	..	121.9	124.2	122.8	125.0	118.0	118.7	..	105.62	104.16	98.28	97.37
Alberta .....	..	130.4	131.9	126.9	128.4	128.8	127.5	..	109.34	109.60	102.68	103.15
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	..	131.8	133.7	127.5	129.4	130.0	129.0	..	123.35	123.24	116.38	116.40
Yukon .....	..	138.7	140.2	114.0	112.9	135.0	125.4	..	168.19	164.44	161.86	160.94
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	112.5	126.5	99.7	105.8	112.5	117.0	..	173.41	170.30	163.86	154.63
Canada .....	124.9	125.9	126.7	124.3	124.8	123.5	123.0	113.75	112.83	112.48	105.26	105.10

(1) Preliminary figures -- Nombres provisoires.

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE  
WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 1968

(Data are subject to revision)

NOVEMBRE 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) decreased by 0.3 per cent from 126.0 in October to 125.6 in November and was 1.0 per cent higher than in November of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted, the November index at 123.9 was 0.4 per cent higher than the October index of 123.4. Among the industry divisions the largest change after seasonal adjustment was a 5.8 per cent decrease in forestry. Construction showed an increase of 1.3 per cent. Most industries showed slight rises. All regions showed increases except the Atlantic where no change was recorded.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level at \$113.46 showed little change from October and were \$8.20 higher than in November, 1967. Among the industry divisions, the largest increases occurred in forestry (\$7.69), mining (\$2.10), service (\$1.45), and finance, insurance, and real estate (\$1.16). Increases were recorded in all regions except Ontario, the largest rise being \$1.58 in British Columbia.

DECEMBER 1968

Preliminary estimates indicate a drop in the composite index of employment from November to December 1968. Construction and manufacturing showed significant declines, resulting generally from layoffs associated with the holiday season. Forestry also declined sharply and service was down as well. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries showed a decrease mainly as a result of short time in the industries indicated above. Further industry and area detail other than that presented in the accompanying table is not yet available.

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EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE  
MOYENNE

NOVEMBRE ET DÉCEMBRE 1968

(Sous réserve de révision)

NOVEMBRE 1968

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100), non corrigé des variations saisonnières, a diminué de 0.3 p. 100 en novembre, passant de 126.0 à 125.6, ce qui est 1.0 p. 100 de plus qu'en novembre de l'année précédente.

Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice de novembre (123.9) dépasse de 0.4 p. 100 celui d'octobre (123.4). Parmi les branches d'activité, c'est l'exploitation forestière qui a marqué la régression la plus sensible, après correction des variations saisonnières; son indice est tombé de 5.8 p. 100. Dans la construction, l'indice a monté de 1.3 p. 100. De légères augmentations se sont produites dans presque toutes les branches d'activité. L'indice de l'emploi a monté dans toutes les provinces, sauf dans celles de l'Atlantique, où il n'a pas varié.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne au niveau de l'ensemble (\$113.46) n'a presque pas changé par rapport à octobre, mais elle a connu une hausse de \$8.20 par rapport à novembre 1967. Parmi les branches d'activité, celles qui ont enregistré les plus fortes hausses sont l'exploitation forestière (\$7.69), l'extraction minière (\$2.10), les services (\$1.45) et les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble (\$1.16). Toutes les provinces sauf l'Ontario ont déclaré des hausses, la plus forte (\$1.58), ayant eu lieu en Colombie-Britannique.

DÉCEMBRE 1968

Les chiffres provisoires font apparaître une régression de l'indice synthétique de l'emploi en décembre par rapport à novembre. La construction et la fabrication ont accusé des baisses sensibles, causées, en général, par les licenciements temporaires pendant la période des fêtes. L'indice de l'exploitation forestière est tombé brusquement et celui des services a aussi reculé. Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a diminué, par suite surtout de l'horaire réduit dans les branches d'activité susmentionnées. Les données par branche d'activité et par région, autres que celles qui figurent au tableau ci-après, ne sont pas encore disponibles.

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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branches d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi					Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières				
	Dec. 1968(1)	Nov. 1968(1)	Oct. 1968	Dec. 1967	Nov. 1967	Dec. 1968(1)	Nov. 1968(1)	Oct. 1968	Nov. 1967	Dec. 1967
	1961=100					dollars				
Industry division -- Branches d'activité										
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	73.2	93.8	102.7	92.5	107.5	81.9	86.9	124.12	132.46	124.77
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	107.9	109.8	110.1	107.3	109.1	111.0	110.3	143.66	145.11	143.01
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	121.2	124.0	124.5	119.8	123.2	123.7	123.3	115.49	118.64	107.83
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	132.6	134.7	134.6	131.0	133.8	134.3	133.9	123.44	128.65	115.58
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	112.0	115.3	116.4	110.7	114.6	115.2	115.0	107.86	109.19	108.48
Construction .....	97.6	124.7	131.9	103.4	125.5	119.5	118.0	115.88	143.03	143.17
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	..	110.8	111.5	108.1	111.8	110.1	110.1	..	126.35	125.40
Trade -- Commerce .....	137.5	137.1	132.5	134.6	132.9	131.0	130.2	88.42	88.34	88.17
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	133.3	133.0	132.2	128.4	128.7	132.7	131.8	109.94	109.50	108.34
Service -- Services .....	154.3	159.7	162.8	149.2	153.0	161.8	162.4	81.68	81.52	80.07
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	121.6	125.6	126.0	120.5	124.3	123.9	123.4	109.73	113.46	112.90
Province and region -- Province et région										
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	..	119.2	121.5	114.0	120.0	116.3	116.3	..	92.51	91.13
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	..	123.4	128.2	115.6	127.8	119.0	118.2	..	101.30	99.53
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	..	149.0	147.2	126.2	135.1	139.2	132.6	..	71.76	68.77
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ...	..	115.9	116.8	111.9	116.1	113.5	113.6	..	90.43	89.67
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	..	117.7	120.4	114.3	118.4	115.4	117.1	..	91.40	89.56
Québec .....	..	120.1	120.9	115.8	120.8	117.9	117.6	..	111.53	110.49
Ontario .....	..	130.1	129.7	124.7	127.5	128.4	127.8	..	117.23	117.37
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	..	123.4	124.1	118.6	122.3	122.6	121.8	..	106.94	106.43
Manitoba .....	..	117.6	118.2	112.0	116.6	116.8	116.4	..	103.99	103.25
Saskatchewan .....	..	120.3	121.2	118.0	122.8	118.4	117.3	..	104.38	104.75
Alberta .....	..	129.5	129.9	124.4	126.9	129.3	128.2	..	110.18	109.54
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	..	131.0	131.9	124.2	127.5	130.8	130.1	..	124.89	123.31
Yukon .....	..	126.0	138.7	108.3	112.9	135.0	135.0	..	167.31	168.19
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	107.3	111.4	95.2	105.8	117.9	111.4	..	175.75	174.07
Canada .....	121.6	125.6	126.0	120.5	124.3	123.9	123.4	109.73	113.46	112.90

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DECEMBER 1968 AND JANUARY 1969

(Data are subject to revision)

DECEMBER 1968

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) decreased by 2.4 per cent from 125.7 in November to 122.7 in December and was 1.8 per cent higher than in December of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted, the December index at 124.7 was 0.5 per cent higher than the November index of 124.1. Among the industry division, the largest change after seasonal adjustment was a decrease of 4.2 per cent in forestry. Construction increased by 1.2 per cent and the durables component of manufacturing showed a 1.1 per cent rise. All regions showed increases, the largest being 1.6 per cent in British Columbia.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level declined by \$3.22 from \$113.37 in November to \$110.15 in December. Several industrial divisions showed fairly sizable decreases as a result of short-time associated mainly with the holiday season. The largest declines were in construction (\$22.14), forestry (\$8.42), the durables component of manufacturing (\$6.06), and mining (\$3.37). All regions showed declines ranging from \$1.65 in the Atlantic Region to \$4.57 in British Columbia.

JANUARY 1969

Preliminary estimates indicate that the composite index of employment declined in January due mainly to seasonal decreases in forestry, construction, and trade. Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased mainly as a result of an increase in the number of hours worked following short-time associated with the holiday season in December. Mining, manufacturing and construction were most noticeably affected. Further industry and area detail other than that given in the accompanying table is not yet available.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE - CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

DÉCEMBRE 1968 ET JANVIER 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

DÉCEMBRE 1968

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) non corrigé des variations saisonnières était de 125.7 en décembre, soit 2.4 p. 100 de moins qu'en novembre (122.7) et 1.8 p. 100 de plus qu'en décembre de l'année précédente.

L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières, est de 0.5 p. 100 supérieur en décembre (124.7) à celui de novembre (124.1). Parmi les branches d'activité, la variation la plus forte, après correction des variations saisonnières, a été une baisse de 4.2 p. 100 dans l'exploitation forestière. La construction a accusé une augmentation (1.2 p. 100) tout comme le secteur de la fabrication des biens durables (1.1 p. 100). Toutes les régions ont connu une augmentation, mais c'est en Colombie-Britannique qu'a eu lieu la plus forte (1.6 p. 100).

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire a été de \$110.15 en décembre, soit \$3.22 de moins qu'en novembre (\$113.37). Plusieurs branches d'activité ont accusé une diminution appréciable par suite de la réduction de la semaine de travail se rattachant surtout à la saison des Fêtes. Les baisses les plus importantes se sont produites dans la construction (\$22.14), l'exploitation forestière (\$8.42), la fabrication des biens durables (\$6.06) et l'extraction minière (\$3.37). Toutes les régions ont connu une baisse variant entre \$1.65 (région de l'Atlantique) et \$4.57 (Colombie-Britannique).

JANVIER 1969

Selon des estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi a diminué en janvier surtout à cause des baisses saisonnières dans l'exploitation forestière, la construction et le commerce. Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté par suite surtout d'un accroissement du nombre d'heures de travail consécutif à la réduction de la semaine de travail se rattachant à la saison des Fêtes. L'extraction minière, la fabrication et la construction ont été les secteurs les plus touchés. On n'a pas encore de détails autres que ceux qui figurent dans le tableau ci-après, par branche d'activité et par région.

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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division -- Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi							Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted							Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières				
	Non corrigés des variations saisonnières							Corrigés des variations saisonnières				
	Jan. 1969(1)	Dec. 1968(1)	Nov. 1968	Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967	Dec. 1968(1)	Nov. 1968	Jan. 1969(1)	Dec. 1968(1)	Nov. 1968	Jan. 1968	Dec. 1967
	1961=100							dollars				
Industry division -- Branche d'activité												
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	67.4	75.6	92.2	84.8	92.5	77.1	80.5	117.91	124.64	133.06	116.13	112.72
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	107.6	108.2	109.7	108.2	107.2	110.9	110.9	148.30	141.78	145.15	137.15	133.36
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	121.6	121.6	124.0	119.7	119.8	124.6	123.8	119.86	115.04	118.70	110.33	107.83
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	133.3	133.6	134.8	130.4	131.0	135.9	134.4	129.45	122.74	128.80	117.34	115.58
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	112.2	111.9	115.3	111.1	110.7	115.5	115.2	110.65	117.60	109.14	103.69	100.42
Construction .....	99.5	103.1	123.6	104.1	103.4	119.8	118.4	146.54	120.53	142.67	132.63	113.37
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services	--	109.5	110.9	106.1	108.1	111.0	110.2	--	126.04	126.48	119.24	115.38
d'utilité publique .....	130.1	139.4	137.9	125.6	134.6	132.0	131.7	90.75	89.06	88.27	83.49	81.56
Trade -- Commerce .....	133.9	133.5	133.3	128.9	128.4	133.8	133.0	111.07	109.75	109.38	101.30	100.44
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	154.7	155.3	160.1	148.0	149.2	162.0	162.2	82.79	81.65	81.48	77.52	76.54
Service -- Services .....												
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	120.3	122.7	125.7	118.5	120.5	124.7	124.1	114.41	110.15	113.37	106.11	102.49
Province and region -- Province et région												
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	--	114.5	119.1	109.5	114.0	117.3	116.2	--	90.53	92.18	89.99	84.62
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	--	113.4	121.6	109.8	115.6	121.0	117.3	--	97.71	100.56	95.15	91.44
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	--	137.2	149.7	106.0	126.2	143.1	139.8	--	73.86	71.61	76.96	68.81
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ....	--	114.2	116.5	109.6	111.9	115.5	114.1	--	87.28	90.09	87.41	81.33
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	--	113.7	117.8	109.7	114.3	115.4	115.5	--	91.65	91.46	90.96	85.68
Québec .....	--	116.1	120.1	113.8	115.8	118.1	117.9	--	108.17	111.46	104.43	101.02
Ontario .....	--	127.9	130.4	123.2	124.7	129.3	128.6	--	113.61	117.18	109.01	105.74
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	--	120.9	123.6	117.1	118.6	123.4	122.8	--	105.01	106.94	100.80	96.52
Manitoba .....	--	113.5	117.4	111.5	112.0	115.4	116.6	--	100.89	103.71	96.51	91.93
Saskatchewan .....	--	117.0	120.6	113.4	118.0	120.1	118.7	--	103.40	104.32	97.74	96.35
Alberta .....	--	128.9	130.1	123.4	124.4	131.8	129.9	--	108.68	110.42	105.26	100.10
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	--	128.6	130.8	121.8	124.2	132.7	130.6	--	120.06	124.63	115.77	112.26
Yukon .....	--	127.0	128.9	108.7	108.3	143.7	135.9	--	144.33	172.28	144.72	149.11
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	--	99.0	105.2	90.1	92.1	118.2	115.6	--	166.15	169.08	164.07	162.14
Canada .....	120.3	122.7	125.7	118.5	120.5	124.7	124.1	114.41	110.15	113.37	106.11	102.49

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE  
WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 1969

(Data are subject to revision)

JANUARY 1969

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) decreased by 1.4 per cent from 122.7 in December to 121.0 in January and was 2.1 per cent higher than in January of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted, the January index at 125.5 was 0.6 per cent higher than the December index of 124.7. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes after seasonal adjustment were a decrease of 7.4 per cent in forestry, an increase of 2.0 per cent in trade, and a 1.8 per cent rise in transportation, communication, and other utilities. Among the regions, changes ranged from a decrease of 1.3 per cent in British Columbia to a rise of 1.4 per cent in Quebec.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose \$4.09 from \$109.94 in December to \$114.03 in January and were \$7.92 higher than in January of last year. Among the industry divisions, only forestry showed a drop from December to January. Construction showed the largest rise (\$20.79), mining rose by \$4.57, and manufacturing increased by \$4.34. All regions showed increases ranging from \$2.55 in British Columbia to \$4.72 in Ontario.

FEBRUARY 1969

Preliminary estimates indicate little change in the composite index of employment from January to February, 1969. Mining and manufacturing increased slightly. The largest decrease occurred in trade with construction also falling to a lesser extent. At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries rose. All industry divisions showed increases, the largest being in construction. Further industry and area detail other than that presented in the accompanying table is not yet available.

Labour Division  
Employment SectionApril - 1969 - Avril  
8003-504L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE  
CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

JANVIER ET FÉVRIER 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

JANVIER 1969

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) non corrigé des variations saisonnières a diminué de 1.4 p. 100 en janvier, passant à 121.0 contre 122.7 en décembre. Il dépassait de 2.1 p. 100 celui de janvier de l'an dernier.

L'indice désaisonnalisé était de 0.6 p. 100 supérieur en janvier (125.5) à celui de décembre (124.7). Parmi les branches d'activité, les variations les plus prononcées, après correction des variations saisonnières, ont été une baisse de 7.4 p. 100 dans l'exploitation forestière, une augmentation de 2.0 p. 100 dans le commerce et une autre de 1.8 p. 100 dans les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique. Sur le plan régional, les variations ont oscillé entre une baisse de 1.3 p. 100 (Colombie-Britannique) et une hausse de 1.4 p. 100 (Québec).

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire a atteint \$114.03 en janvier, soit \$4.09 de plus qu'en décembre (\$109.94) et \$7.92 de plus qu'en janvier de l'an dernier. Au niveau des branches d'activité, seule l'exploitation forestière a accusé une diminution de décembre à janvier. La construction a connu l'augmentation la plus forte (\$20.79), il y a eu augmentation de \$4.57 dans l'extraction minière et de \$4.34 dans la fabrication. Toutes les régions ont accusé des augmentations qui oscillent entre \$2.25 (Colombie-Britannique) et \$4.72 (Ontario).

FÉVRIER 1969

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi a peu varié de janvier à février 1969. Il a augmenté légèrement dans l'extraction minière et la fabrication. La diminution la plus importante est survenue dans le commerce; la construction a également connu une baisse mais dans une mesure moindre. Au niveau de l'ensemble, il y a eu augmentation de la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne. Toutes les branches d'activité, mais surtout la construction, ont connu des augmentations. On n'a pas encore de détails autres que ceux qui figurent dans le tableau ci-après, par branches d'activité et par région.

Division du travail  
Section de l'emploi



Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division -- Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers -- Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries -- Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted -- Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted -- Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
	Feb. 1969	Jan. 1969	Dec. 1968	Feb. 1968	Jan. 1968	Feb. 1969	Jan. 1969	Dec. 1968	Jan. 1969	Feb. 1969	Jan. 1969	Dec. 1968	Jan. 1968	Feb. 1968
	1969 (1)	1969 (1)	1968	1968	1968	1969 (1)	1969 (1)	1968	1969 (1)	1969 (1)	1969 (1)	1968	1968	1968
1961=100														
dollars														
Industry division -- Branche d'activité														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière	110.0	65.8	75.6	75.9	84.8	71.4	77.1	124.41	118.35	126.33	116.13	126.33	116.13	116.13
Mining -- Extraction minière	122.3	121.6	121.4	107.6	108.2	111.7	111.0	141.82	146.39	139.20	137.15	141.82	139.20	137.15
Manufacturing -- Fabrication	134.0	133.3	133.4	125.8	130.4	135.0	135.7	114.92	120.45	110.32	110.33	114.92	110.32	110.33
Durable goods -- Biens durables	112.8	112.1	111.7	111.2	111.1	115.7	115.3	122.61	127.88	119.18	117.34	122.61	119.18	117.34
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	101.9	102.4	103.1	102.6	104.1	120.1	119.8	107.50	111.85	104.15	103.69	107.50	104.15	103.69
Construction	129.4	131.5	139.8	123.8	125.6	134.9	132.3	118.07	145.11	135.39	132.63	118.07	135.39	132.63
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services	134.9	134.2	133.6	129.3	128.9	134.5	133.9	109.77	111.62	101.61	101.30	109.77	101.61	101.30
Trade -- Commerce	136.9	136.4	136.1	148.4	148.0	163.6	162.8	81.52	84.05	78.26	77.52	81.52	78.26	77.52
Finance, insurance and real estate	121.1	121.0	122.7	117.1	118.5	125.5	124.7	109.94	115.37	107.18	106.11	109.94	107.18	106.11
Service -- Services	110.8	114.3	107.6	109.5	109.8	117.6	117.1	90.41	94.72	90.41	89.99	90.41	90.41	89.99
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	108.8	113.5	108.9	108.9	109.8	122.4	121.1	97.81	102.10	97.81	95.15	97.81	97.81	95.15
Province and region -- Province et région	122.1	137.5	137.5	104.9	106.0	140.7	143.4	73.80	75.97	76.86	76.96	73.80	76.86	76.96
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	111.9	113.6	107.2	109.6	109.6	115.9	114.9	87.10	91.38	87.10	87.41	87.10	87.10	87.41
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	109.6	113.7	107.4	109.7	109.7	114.4	115.4	91.50	95.96	91.50	90.96	91.50	91.04	90.96
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	115.0	116.1	112.7	113.8	113.8	119.8	118.1	108.12	111.98	108.12	104.43	111.98	108.12	104.43
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	126.9	127.9	127.9	123.2	130.0	129.3	128.3	113.22	117.94	113.22	110.06	113.22	110.06	109.01
Quebec	118.2	121.2	116.7	117.1	123.1	123.1	123.7	104.91	108.20	104.91	100.80	104.91	102.02	100.80
Ontario	112.0	113.5	111.5	111.5	116.3	115.4	115.4	100.88	103.46	100.88	97.15	103.46	100.88	97.15
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	112.3	117.5	112.9	113.4	119.8	120.6	120.6	103.17	103.88	103.17	97.74	103.88	103.17	97.74
Manitoba	126.0	129.2	123.6	123.6	123.4	130.6	132.1	108.56	113.35	108.56	105.26	108.56	106.77	105.26
Saskatchewan	125.2	129.3	122.2	121.8	131.7	133.4	133.4	119.90	122.45	119.90	115.77	119.90	115.77	115.77
Alberta	127.9	128.2	114.5	108.7	137.2	145.1	145.1	142.96	147.12	142.96	144.72	142.96	148.04	144.72
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	100.6	98.6	88.1	90.1	115.7	117.7	117.7	164.05	169.31	164.05	164.07	164.05	170.50	164.07
Yukon	121.1	121.0	122.7	117.1	118.5	125.5	124.7	109.94	115.37	109.94	107.18	109.94	107.18	106.11
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	121.1	121.0	122.7	117.1	118.5	125.5	124.7	109.94	115.37	109.94	107.18	109.94	107.18	106.11
Canada	121.1	121.0	122.7	117.1	118.5	125.5	124.7	109.94	115.37	109.94	107.18	109.94	107.18	106.11

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FEBRUARY AND MARCH 1969

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The advanced estimates programme has been expanded this month to include employment indexes and average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level for the regions and provinces. In addition, the estimated employment indexes are now being seasonally-adjusted.

There will be no separate publications for February and March, 1969. The next publication will be dated April.

### MARCH 1969

Advance estimates indicate a slight increase from February to March, 1969 in the unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) for Canada. Among the industry divisions only forestry showed a decrease while the largest increases occurred in mining and service. All regions showed slight increases.

Seasonally-adjusted, all industry divisions and regions showed increases from February to March.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level changed little from February to March. Among the industry divisions and regions changes were upwards in most cases but were generally small.

### FEBRUARY 1969

The unadjusted composite index of employment at 121.5 in February showed little change from the January index of 121.4 and was 3.8 per cent higher than in February of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted, the February index at 126.3 was 0.3 per cent higher than the January index of 125.9. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes after seasonal adjustment were increases of 7.9 per cent in forestry, and 2.6 per cent in construction. Increases were recorded in both components of manufacturing. All regions, except Quebec, showed increases the largest being 1.5 per cent in the Prairie Region and 1.5 per cent in the Atlantic.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased by \$1.36 from \$114.04 in January to \$115.40 in February. The largest changes among the industry divisions were increases of \$13.98 in forestry and \$6.41 in construction. All regions showed increases.

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LIBRARY EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE  
CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

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FÉVRIER ET MARS 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

Le programme d'estimations provisoires est étendu ce mois-ci à la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne et aux indices de l'emploi au niveau de l'ensemble des branches d'activité dans les régions et les provinces. De plus, les indices estimatifs de l'emploi sont maintenant corrigés des variations saisonnières.

Il n'y aura pas de publications distinctes pour février et mars 1969. La prochaine publication sera datée d'avril.

### MARS 1969

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) non corrigé des variations saisonnières a légèrement augmenté de février à mars 1969. Parmi les branches d'activité, seule l'exploitation forestière a connu une baisse; les hausses les plus fortes ont eu lieu dans l'extraction minière et dans les services. Toutes les régions ont enregistré une légère augmentation.

De février à mars, l'indice désaisonnalisé s'est accru dans toutes les branches d'activité et dans toutes les régions.

L'indice général de la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a peu varié de février à mars. La plupart des branches d'activité et des régions ont connu une augmentation, en général petite.

### FÉVRIER 1969

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi non corrigé des variations saisonnières a peu varié de janvier à février, passant de 121.4 à 121.5; il était de 3.8 p. 100 supérieur à celui de février 1968.

L'indice désaisonnalisé a atteint 126.3 en février, soit 0.3 p. 100 de plus qu'en janvier (125.9). Parmi les branches d'activité, les variations désaisonnalisées les plus importantes ont été de 7.9 p. 100 dans l'exploitation forestière et de 2.6 p. 100 dans la construction. Il y a eu augmentation dans les deux éléments de la fabrication. Toutes les régions, sauf le Québec, ont connu des augmentations, la plus importante étant de 1.5 p. 100 dans la région des Prairies et dans la région atlantique.

Dans l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté de \$1.36, passant de \$114.04 à \$115.40. Les variations les plus importantes ont été dans l'exploitation forestière (\$13.98) et dans la construction (\$6.41). Il y a eu hausse dans toutes les régions.

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombre-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi												Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières						Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières									
	March 1969 (1)	Feb. 1969	Jan. 1969	March 1968	Feb. 1968	March 1969 (1)	March 1969 (1)	Feb. 1969 (1)	Jan. 1969	March 1969 (1)	Feb. 1969 (1)	Jan. 1969	March 1968	Feb. 1968	March 1968	Feb. 1968
	Mars	Fév.	Janv.	Mars	Fév.	Mars	Mars	Fév.	Janv.	Mars	Fév.	Janv.	Mars	Fév.	Mars	Fév.
	1961=100												dollars			
Industry division -- Branche d'activité																
Forestry -- Industrie forestière	57.2	63.3	65.4	65.0	75.9	83.6	83.6	76.5	70.9	133.42	132.22	118.24	125.60	126.33		
Mining -- Extraction minière	112.2	110.3	109.8	109.2	107.6	113.5	113.5	112.3	112.0	149.19	148.11	146.72	139.01	139.20		
Manufacturing -- Fabrication	123.3	122.4	121.8	119.4	117.7	125.4	125.4	124.9	124.5	121.59	120.68	119.47	111.48	111.32		
Durable goods -- Biens durables	135.8	134.4	133.6	129.0	125.8	136.6	136.6	135.8	135.3	130.68	129.92	128.17	118.62	119.18		
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	113.2	112.7	112.2	111.6	111.2	116.4	116.4	116.1	115.8	112.78	111.77	111.10	104.82	104.15		
Construction	104.8	104.7	103.6	104.4	102.6	124.4	124.4	124.7	121.5	145.65	146.81	140.40	136.59	135.39		
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services	..	107.4	108.0	105.6	105.4	..	..	112.7	113.3	..	128.68	128.67	120.19	119.61		
Trade -- Commerce	131.6	130.3	131.7	124.8	123.8	135.5	135.5	135.0	135.1	92.19	91.49	90.55	84.99	84.69		
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier	135.1	135.0	134.3	129.7	129.3	135.5	135.5	135.4	134.6	112.04	111.38	110.87	103.93	101.61		
Service -- Services	161.3	158.9	157.8	149.2	148.4	167.1	167.1	165.6	165.1	82.48	82.89	82.01	78.12	78.26		
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	122.1	121.5	121.4	118.0	117.1	126.8	126.8	126.3	125.9	115.92	115.40	114.04	107.57	107.18		
Province and region -- Province et région																
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	111.6	111.6	112.0	108.9	107.6	121.2	121.2	120.6	118.8	98.57	98.26	95.42	91.23	90.41		
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	110.6	110.1	110.3	107.8	108.9	128.5	128.5	126.2	124.1	106.82	105.75	103.65	99.53	97.43		
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	108.8	108.3	111.6	107.1	104.9	133.3	133.3	132.3	128.6	83.35	81.99	80.59	76.29	76.86		
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	113.2	113.4	113.4	109.8	107.2	118.5	118.5	119.1	117.4	95.62	95.75	91.28	87.89	87.10		
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	110.7	110.7	111.5	108.6	107.4	118.8	118.8	117.7	116.4	98.19	97.91	96.51	91.36	91.04		
Québec	115.0	114.7	115.3	112.6	112.7	120.5	120.5	120.0	120.1	113.09	112.61	112.08	105.80	105.17		
Ontario	127.7	127.1	127.3	122.2	120.7	131.1	131.1	130.8	130.5	119.07	119.00	117.93	110.13	110.06		
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	120.9	118.8	118.5	117.6	116.5	126.6	126.6	125.4	123.5	111.21	110.10	108.01	102.52	102.02		
Manitoba	112.9	112.0	112.2	111.1	110.5	118.2	118.2	117.2	116.5	106.44	105.02	103.21	98.16	97.15		
Saskatchewan	113.9	113.5	112.2	114.4	112.9	121.8	121.8	122.0	119.7	106.82	106.03	103.94	99.78	99.21		
Alberta	130.5	129.0	126.4	124.5	123.6	135.4	135.4	133.8	131.0	116.29	115.32	113.10	106.88	106.77		
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	128.8	127.4	125.6	124.0	122.2	133.3	133.3	133.2	132.1	125.66	125.20	122.21	118.52	118.05		
Yukon	..	133.2	125.5	121.3	114.5	..	..	159.0	154.3	..	147.58	149.27	155.61	148.04		
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	..	100.8	101.2	89.7	88.1	..	..	110.6	116.4	..	169.70	166.85	173.08	170.50		
Canada	122.1	121.5	121.4	118.0	117.1	126.8	126.8	126.3	125.9	115.92	115.40	114.04	107.57	107.18		

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

APRIL 1969

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Advance estimates indicate little change in the composite index of employment (1961 = 100) from March to April, 1969. Forestry and mining showed the largest decreases in the unadjusted indexes while construction and service showed increases. Among the regions, the largest change was an increase in the Atlantic Region.

Seasonally-adjusted, most industry divisions showed increases, the largest being in forestry. Decreases were recorded in construction and trade. Slight decreases were recorded in all regions except the Atlantic which showed an increase.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level showed little change from March to April. Among the industry divisions, only mining showed a decrease. Among the regions, changes were slight.

MARCH 1969

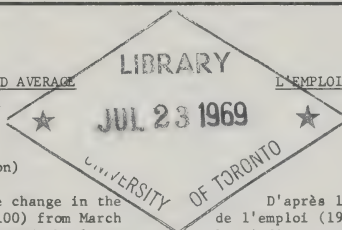
The unadjusted composite index of employment at 122.8 was 0.7 per cent higher than the February index of 122.0 and was 4.1 per cent higher than in March of last year.

Seasonally-adjusted, the March index at 127.5 was 0.5 per cent higher than the February index of 126.9. Among the industry divisions, the largest change after seasonal adjustment was an increase of 20.3 per cent in forestry. Other changes were small. All regions showed increases, the largest being 1.6 per cent in British Columbia.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased slightly from \$115.20 in February to \$116.04 in March and was \$8.47 higher than in March of last year. Among the industry divisions, increases were recorded in forestry (\$9.90), transportation, communication and other utilities (\$2.18), and the non-durables component of manufacturing (\$1.22). Construction showed the largest decline (\$2.11). The largest change among the regions was an increase of \$1.03 in the Prairie Region.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

AVRIL 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

D'après les chiffres provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) a peu évolué entre mars et avril 1969. Les indices non corrigés de l'exploitation forestière et de l'extraction minière ont accusé les plus fortes baisses, tandis que la construction et les services ont marqué une hausse. De toutes les régions, c'est celle de l'Atlantique qui a enregistré l'augmentation la plus considérable.

Les indices de la plupart des branches d'activité, corrigés des variations saisonnières, ont connu des augmentations, celle de l'industrie forestière étant la plus importante. La construction et le commerce ont accusé une diminution. Une légère régression a été enregistrée dans toutes les régions sauf dans la région de l'Atlantique, où il y a eu amélioration.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne n'a pratiquement pas varié de mars à avril. Parmi les branches d'activité, seule l'extraction minière a vu son indice diminuer. Sur le plan régional, les variations ont été minimes.

MARS 1969

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi, non corrigé des variations saisonnières, a augmenté de 0.7 p. 100 en mars par rapport à février, passant de 122.0 à 122.8, et de 4.1 p. 100 en regard de mars 1968.

Correction faite des variations saisonnières, l'indice de l'emploi (127.5) était de 0.5 p. 100 supérieur en mars à ce qu'il avait été en février (126.9). Parmi les branches d'activité, c'est l'industrie forestière qui a enregistré le changement le plus important, une augmentation de 20.3 p. 100. Les autres mouvements ont été moins considérables. Il y a eu des augmentations dans toutes les régions, mais la plus importante (1.6 p. 100) est celle de la Colombie-Britannique.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a connu une légère amélioration, passant de \$115.20 en février à \$116.04 en mars, et elle a été de \$8.47 supérieure à celle de mars 1968. Parmi les branches d'activité, il y a eu augmentation dans l'industrie forestière (\$9.90), dans les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique (\$2.18) et dans le secteur des biens non durables de la fabrication (\$1.22). La construction accuse le recul le plus important (\$2.11). Le changement le plus considérable parmi les régions est la hausse de \$1.03 enregistrée dans les Prairies.

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## Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne					
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières										
	April 1969(1)	March 1969(1)	Feb. 1969	April 1968	March 1968	April 1969(1)	March 1969(1)	Feb. 1969	April 1969(1)	March 1969(1)	April 1968	Feb. 1969	March 1968	April 1968	March 1968	March 1968
	Avril	Mars	Fév.	Avril	Mars	Avril	Mars	Fév.	Avril	Mars	Avril	Fév.	Mars	Avril	Mars	Mars
Industry division -- Branche d'activité	1961=100										dollars					
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	55.4	62.8	63.1	58.3	65.0	102.6	91.8	76.3	144.62	143.50	133.60	133.60	122.31	125.60		
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	109.1	111.5	110.4	107.2	109.2	112.9	112.8	112.4	146.67	148.61	148.07	148.07	138.46	139.01		
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	123.6	123.2	122.5	120.2	119.4	125.6	125.4	125.1	121.83	121.70	120.80	120.80	114.33	111.48		
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	136.5	136.0	134.6	130.2	129.0	137.4	136.9	136.2	130.56	130.54	130.05	130.05	123.52	118.62		
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	113.1	112.9	112.8	112.1	111.6	116.0	116.1	116.2	113.31	113.09	111.87	111.87	105.71	104.82		
Construction .....	109.6	105.2	104.8	111.5	104.4	121.3	124.8	124.9	146.83	146.32	148.43	148.43	136.93	136.59		
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	..	109.1	108.7	107.7	105.6	..	114.2	114.1	..	129.24	127.06	127.06	119.98	120.19		
Trade -- Commerce .....	133.7	132.5	130.9	126.1	124.8	135.9	136.4	135.6	92.14	91.75	91.35	91.35	85.62	84.99		
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	135.9	135.7	134.9	129.4	129.7	136.8	136.1	135.3	112.07	111.58	111.00	111.00	105.13	103.93		
Service -- Services .....	163.1	161.2	160.2	151.5	149.2	167.9	167.0	166.9	83.69	82.96	82.47	82.47	78.31	78.12		
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	123.0	122.8	122.0	119.3	118.0	127.3	127.5	126.9	116.00	116.04	115.20	115.20	108.95	107.57		
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	114.1	111.7	111.7	110.2	108.9	124.8	121.3	120.7	98.22	98.04	98.12	98.12	90.44	91.23		
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	115.5	110.6	110.6	112.6	107.8	130.8	128.5	126.7	104.39	106.00	105.51	105.51	99.25	99.53		
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	109.4	107.5	108.7	112.9	107.1	121.2	131.7	132.8	83.28	84.30	81.54	81.54	74.57	76.29		
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ...	115.5	113.2	113.3	110.9	109.8	121.3	118.6	119.0	96.21	94.94	95.73	95.73	87.84	87.89		
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	111.9	110.9	110.8	107.4	108.6	125.1	119.0	117.8	97.96	97.88	97.71	97.71	89.40	91.36		
Québec .....	115.3	115.7	115.3	113.9	112.6	119.5	121.2	120.6	112.63	112.88	112.04	112.04	106.76	105.80		
Ontario .....	128.6	128.1	127.5	123.8	122.2	130.9	131.5	131.2	119.76	119.64	118.80	118.80	112.61	110.13		
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	121.0	121.2	120.2	118.3	117.6	126.8	126.9	125.8	111.06	111.27	110.24	110.24	102.61	102.52		
Manitoba .....	113.1	113.3	112.4	112.8	111.1	116.8	118.6	117.6	106.48	106.52	105.04	105.04	98.52	98.16		
Saskatchewan .....	115.3	114.1	114.2	116.8	114.4	120.7	122.0	122.7	106.67	106.91	106.02	106.02	101.55	99.78		
Alberta .....	130.0	130.9	129.3	123.6	124.5	137.0	135.8	134.1	116.04	116.31	115.60	115.60	106.20	106.88		
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	132.0	131.7	128.3	124.6	124.0	135.7	136.3	134.1	126.18	126.14	125.20	125.20	119.37	118.52		
Yukon .....	..	137.8	134.1	120.5	121.3	..	160.9	160.0	..	181.08	180.48	180.48	158.20	155.61		
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	101.8	100.8	93.5	89.7	..	111.5	110.6	..	174.76	170.82	170.82	167.84	173.08		
Canada .....	123.0	122.8	122.0	119.3	118.0	127.3	127.5	126.9	116.00	116.04	115.20	115.20	108.95	107.57		

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MAY 1969

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Advance estimates indicate an increase in the composite index of employment (1961=100) from April to May, 1969. All industry divisions shared in the increase except mining, which fell slightly. The largest increase was recorded in forestry. All regions showed increases except Quebec, where a small decrease was recorded. The largest rise occurred in the Atlantic Region. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index fell slightly. Most industry divisions recorded declines. The largest decrease occurred in construction, mainly as a result of industrial disputes. In manufacturing, the adjusted index rose slightly. Decreases were recorded in all regions except British Columbia, where the index rose, and Ontario, where there was no change.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from April to May. All industry divisions shared in the increase except mining and forestry, where declines were recorded. All regions showed increases.

APRIL 1969

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) at 123.3 in April was 0.5 p.c. higher than the March index of 122.7 and was 3.4 p.c. higher than in April 1968. Seasonally-adjusted, the index fell by 0.2 p.c. from 127.4 in March to 127.2 in April. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes in the adjusted indexes were an 18.6 p.c. increase in forestry and a 2.1 p.c. decrease in transportation, communication and other utilities. The increase in forestry occurred mainly in Quebec, following unusually low employment levels during the first quarter, and in Ontario, where the decline in employment was less than is usual for the time of the year. The decrease in transportation, communication and other utilities reflected the industrial dispute in air transport and services. Changes among the regions were small, ranging from a 0.6 p.c. decrease in Quebec to a 0.9 p.c. increase in the Atlantic Region. British Columbia showed no change.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased slightly from \$116.02 in March to \$116.21 in April. The largest change among the industry divisions was a \$4.58 decrease in forestry. Other changes were small. The Prairie Region and the Atlantic Region showed slight declines.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

MAI 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

Les estimations provisoires révèlent une augmentation de l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) entre avril et mai 1969. Toutes les branches d'activité ont participé à l'augmentation, sauf l'exploitation minière, qui a connu une légère baisse. C'est l'exploitation forestière qui a enregistré l'augmentation la plus forte. Il y a eu augmentation dans toutes les régions, sauf au Québec, où il y a eu un léger recul. La région atlantique a enregistré l'accroissement le plus appréciable. L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières a diminué légèrement. La plupart des branches d'activité ont enregistré un recul. La construction a connu la diminution la plus importante, principalement par suite de différends ouvriers. Dans les industries manufacturières, l'indice corrigé s'est légèrement accru. Il y a eu diminution dans toutes les régions, sauf en Colombie-Britannique, où l'indice a augmenté, et en Ontario, où il est resté stationnaire.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne s'est légèrement accrue d'avril à mai. Toutes les branches d'activité ont participé à l'augmentation, sauf l'exploitation minière et l'exploitation forestière, qui ont connu une baisse. Il y a eu augmentation dans toutes les régions.

AVRIL 1969

Avant correction des variations saisonnières, l'indice de l'emploi (1961=100) a atteint 123.3 en avril, soit 0.5 p. 100 de plus qu'en mars (122.7) et 3.4 p. 100 de plus qu'en avril 1968. L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières a baissé de 0.2, passant de 127.4 en mars à 127.2 en avril. Parmi les branches d'activité, c'est l'exploitation forestière qui a connu l'augmentation la plus importante de l'indice corrigé (18.6 p. 100); elle était suivie des transports, des communications et des autres services d'utilité publique (2.1 p. 100). L'augmentation dans l'exploitation forestière a eu lieu principalement au Québec, à la suite d'un bas niveau d'emploi inhabituel pendant le premier trimestre, et en Ontario, où l'emploi était inférieur au niveau normal pour ce temps-ci de l'année. La baisse dans les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique était due à un différend dans l'industrie des services et des transports aériens. Au niveau des régions, les variations s'échelonnaient entre une baisse de 0.6 p. 100 au Québec et une hausse de 0.9 p. 100 dans la région atlantique. La Colombie-Britannique n'a accusé aucun changement.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a connu une légère augmentation, passant de \$116.02 en mars à \$116.21 en avril. Parmi les branches d'activité, c'est l'exploitation forestière qui a connu la variation la plus importante, soit une baisse de \$4.58. Les variations dans les autres branches ont été minimes. La région des Prairies et la région atlantique ont subi un léger recul.

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## Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières									
	May 1969(1)	April 1969(1)	March 1969	May 1968	April 1968	May 1969(1)	April 1969	March 1969	May 1969(1)	April 1969(1)	March 1969	May 1968	April 1968	May 1968	April 1968
	Mai	Avril	Mars	Mai	Avril	Mai	Avril	Mars	Mai	Avril	Mars	Mai	Avril	Mai	Avril
Industry division -- Branche d'activité	1961=100										dollars				
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	91.4	57.9	61.8	94.1	58.3	105.8	107.2	90.4	125.97	138.80	143.38	113.31	122.31	122.31	122.31
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	108.7	108.8	111.5	110.9	107.2	108.7	112.6	112.8	146.23	146.93	148.54	137.74	138.46	138.46	138.46
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	126.1	123.6	123.2	121.9	120.2	123.8	123.6	123.3	122.60	121.82	121.72	114.43	114.33	114.33	114.33
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	138.6	136.4	135.9	131.9	130.2	137.4	137.3	136.7	131.62	130.64	130.60	123.61	123.52	123.52	123.52
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	115.9	113.2	112.9	113.8	112.1	116.2	116.1	116.1	113.86	113.22	113.06	105.84	105.71	105.71	105.71
Construction .....	112.8	110.8	104.7	123.1	111.5	110.7	122.6	124.2	149.30	146.54	145.86	136.49	136.93	136.93	136.93
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services .....	..	109.1	109.1	109.6	107.7	..	111.8	114.2	..	128.75	129.27	121.45	119.98	119.98	119.98
Trade -- Commerce .....	133.7	133.1	132.4	127.7	126.1	135.1	135.3	136.3	93.57	92.62	91.80	86.39	85.62	85.62	85.62
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	137.9	136.1	136.0	130.8	129.4	138.6	137.0	136.4	114.45	113.58	111.70	106.07	105.13	105.13	105.13
Service -- Services .....	167.2	163.3	161.7	157.3	151.5	166.4	168.1	167.5	83.71	83.25	83.04	78.76	78.31	78.31	78.31
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	126.7	123.3	122.7	122.6	119.3	127.0	127.2	127.4	117.75	116.21	116.02	109.46	108.95	108.95	108.95
Province and region -- Province et région															
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	119.2	111.7	111.5	116.2	110.2	121.0	122.2	121.1	97.38	96.70	98.00	89.50	90.44	90.44	90.44
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	122.3	110.7	110.7	117.9	112.6	126.9	125.3	128.6	104.45	103.55	105.88	98.70	99.25	99.25	99.25
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	124.2	113.1	106.9	132.9	112.9	118.2	125.2	131.0	85.49	82.65	84.29	72.48	74.57	74.57	74.57
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ....	117.9	114.1	112.9	113.5	110.9	118.9	119.8	118.3	95.54	94.43	95.09	87.89	87.84	87.84	87.84
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	119.1	109.3	110.7	116.7	107.4	121.4	122.2	118.8	96.28	96.37	97.62	87.19	89.40	89.40	89.40
Québec .....	115.7	116.3	115.8	118.0	113.9	115.8	120.6	121.3	118.71	113.10	112.92	108.04	106.76	106.76	106.76
Ontario .....	131.3	128.9	128.1	125.9	123.8	131.2	131.2	131.5	121.32	120.03	119.55	112.95	112.61	112.61	112.61
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	124.3	121.1	121.0	122.2	118.3	124.6	127.0	126.7	112.77	110.80	111.20	112.94	102.61	102.61	102.61
Manitoba .....	117.3	112.6	112.9	115.3	112.8	118.3	116.3	118.2	108.97	106.55	106.54	99.31	98.52	98.52	98.52
Saskatchewan .....	117.9	115.7	113.7	121.8	116.8	117.2	121.1	121.6	107.92	107.27	106.81	101.45	101.55	101.55	101.55
Alberta .....	134.4	130.5	130.9	128.1	123.6	135.5	137.5	135.8	117.02	115.19	116.17	106.30	106.20	106.20	106.20
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	138.6	132.5	131.6	128.6	124.6	139.1	136.2	136.2	128.55	127.09	126.29	120.20	119.37	119.37	119.37
Yukon .....	..	133.4	133.2	132.5	120.5	..	137.7	160.2	..	169.98	182.46	160.83	158.20	158.20	158.20
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	108.6	102.3	101.2	93.5	..	114.2	112.1	..	169.74	174.83	167.19	167.84	167.84	167.84
Canada .....	126.7	123.3	122.7	122.6	119.3	127.0	127.2	127.4	117.75	116.21	116.02	109.46	108.95	108.95	108.95

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Advance estimates indicate an increase in the composite index of employment (1961=100) from May to June, 1969. All industry divisions shared in the increase, the largest rise occurring in mining. All regions showed increases, the largest being in the Atlantic Region. Seasonally adjusted, the composite index fell slightly. All industry divisions recorded declines except mining, which rose slightly. The largest decrease occurred in construction, mainly as a result of industrial disputes. Decreases were recorded in all regions except British Columbia where the index rose slightly.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from May to June. All industry divisions shared in the increase except mining and manufacturing where slight declines were recorded. All regions showed increases except Quebec, where there was a small decrease.

MAY 1969

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961 = 100) at 126.8 was 2.8 p.c. higher than the April index of 123.4 and was 3.5 p.c. higher than in May 1968. Seasonally adjusted, the index fell from 127.3 in April to 127.2. Among the industry divisions, the largest changes in the adjusted indexes were a 9.2 p.c. decrease in construction and a 2.4 p.c. increase in transportation, communication, and other utilities. The decrease in construction reflected industrial disputes in B.C., Ontario and Quebec. The increase in transportation, communication, and other utilities resulted mainly from the termination of an industrial dispute in air transport and service.

All regions except British Columbia and Ontario showed slight declines. British Columbia recorded a 1.4 p.c. increase. Ontario showed no change.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased slightly from \$116.43 in April to \$117.26 in May. The largest change among the industry divisions was a \$6.81 decrease in forestry. Other changes were small. With the exception of a slight decline in the Atlantic Region, all regions showed small increases.

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CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

JUIN 1969

(Données susceptibles de révision)

Selon les estimations anticipées, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) était plus élevé en juin qu'en mai 1969. Toutes les branches d'activité ont participé à l'accroissement, la hausse la plus marquée s'étant produite dans l'extraction minière. Toutes les régions ont connu des augmentations, la plus élevée étant celle de la région de l'Atlantique. Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique accuse une légère baisse. Il y a eu diminution dans toutes les branches d'activité sauf l'extraction minière, où il y a eu une faible augmentation. La baisse la plus marquée est celle de la construction, notamment à cause des différends ouvriers. Il y a eu recul dans toutes les régions sauf la Colombie-Britannique, où l'indice a haussé légèrement.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, a augmenté entre mai et juin. Toutes les branches d'activité ont participé à l'augmentation, exception faite de l'extraction minière et de la fabrication, où l'on a enregistré de légères diminutions. Toutes les régions, sauf le Québec où il y a eu une faible diminution, accusent des augmentations.

MAI 1969

L'indice synthétique non rectifié de l'emploi (1961 = 100) est de 2.8 p. 100 plus élevé qu'en avril (126.8 contre 123.4), et de 3.5 p. 100 supérieur à ce qu'il était en mai 1968. Correction faite des variations saisonnières, l'indice a baissé de 127.3 en avril à 127.2 en mai. Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements les plus importants survenus dans les indices rectifiés se sont produits dans la construction, où l'indice a fléchi de 9.2 p. 100, et dans les transports, les communications et les autres utilités publiques, où il a augmenté de 2.4 p. 100. La baisse dans la construction tient aux différends ouvriers qui ont eu lieu en Colombie-Britannique, en Ontario et au Québec. L'augmentation dans les transports, les communications et les autres utilités publiques découle notamment de la cessation d'un différend ouvrier dans les transports et les services aériens.

Toutes les régions, sauf la Colombie-Britannique et l'Ontario, accusent de faibles diminutions. En Colombie-Britannique, il y a eu augmentation de 1.4 p. 100 et en Ontario, il n'y a eu aucun changement.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, s'est légèrement accrue en passant de \$116.43 en avril à \$117.26 en mai. Le changement le plus important parmi les branches d'activité est la baisse de \$6.81 qu'accuse l'exploitation forestière. Les autres changements sont peu considérables. Exception faite de la légère diminution survenue dans la région de l'Atlantique, toutes les régions accusent de faibles augmentations.

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Section de l'emploi

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division -- Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers										Average weekly wages and salaries				
	Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted					Seasonally-adjusted									
	Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Corrigés des variations saisonnières									
	June 1969(1)	May --	April 1969	June 1968	May --	June 1969(1)	May 1969	April 1969	June 1969(1)	May 1969	June 1969(1)	May 1969(1)	April 1969	June 1968	May 1968
	Jun	Mai	Avril	Jun	Mai	Jun	Mai	Avril	Jun	Mai	Jun	Mai	Avril	Jun	Mai
	1961=100										dollars				
<u>Industry division --</u> <u>Branche d'activité</u>															
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	85.4	58.1	108.6	94.1	..	98.8	107.6	..	129.99	136.80	119.82	113.31	113.31	113.31
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	112.2	107.6	108.8	113.3	110.9	108.3	107.6	112.6	146.31	146.90	147.02	137.94	137.74	137.74	137.74
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	128.5	126.3	123.6	123.3	121.9	125.5	126.0	125.6	122.49	122.60	121.84	114.23	114.23	114.23	114.23
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	140.5	138.7	136.5	132.4	131.9	137.0	137.5	137.4	131.87	131.91	130.65	123.27	123.61	123.61	123.61
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	118.8	116.2	113.2	116.0	113.8	116.2	116.6	116.1	113.51	113.58	113.24	105.90	105.84	105.84	105.84
Construction .....	117.7	113.9	111.3	128.5	123.1	108.2	111.8	123.1	149.66	149.26	147.49	137.52	136.49	136.49	136.49
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services .....	..	114.4	108.9	110.3	109.6	..	114.3	111.6	..	130.72	129.76	122.27	121.45	121.45	121.45
Trade -- Commerce .....	136.2	134.3	133.2	128.8	127.7	136.0	135.8	135.4	95.86	93.52	92.68	87.21	86.39	86.39	86.39
Finance, insurance and real estate ..	139.1	137.9	136.1	131.8	130.8	139.2	138.7	137.0	116.53	114.52	113.58	106.10	106.07	106.07	106.07
Service -- Services .....	173.9	169.7	163.4	160.9	157.3	167.4	168.9	168.2	84.35	83.55	83.16	79.70	78.76	78.76	78.76
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	129.8	126.8	123.4	124.6	122.6	126.4	127.2	127.3	118.12	117.26	116.43	109.96	109.46	109.46	109.46
<u>Province and region --</u> <u>Province et région</u>															
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	123.6	118.0	112.1	121.4	116.2	117.5	119.8	122.6	96.63	96.00	96.54	90.06	89.50	89.50	89.50
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	123.5	116.1	111.0	124.7	117.9	112.4	119.6	125.7	106.03	104.73	103.47	99.79	98.70	98.70	98.70
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard .....	140.0	129.4	113.4	139.7	132.9	131.5	123.2	125.6	79.55	80.26	82.70	72.44	72.48	72.48	72.48
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse .....	122.5	117.9	114.2	117.3	113.5	119.4	119.0	119.9	94.58	94.26	94.37	88.24	87.89	87.89	87.89
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	123.5	118.5	110.2	122.7	116.7	117.4	120.9	123.2	94.69	94.08	95.99	87.65	87.65	87.65	87.65
Québec .....	121.9	119.2	116.1	120.0	118.0	118.6	119.4	120.4	114.83	114.78	113.52	107.36	108.04	108.04	108.04
Ontario .....	133.9	131.5	129.1	126.7	125.9	131.0	131.4	122.3	121.26	120.27	113.43	112.93	112.93	112.93	112.93
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	128.6	126.1	121.1	125.1	122.2	124.6	126.5	127.0	113.28	111.28	110.94	105.39	102.94	102.94	102.94
Manitoba .....	120.1	117.9	112.7	117.4	115.3	116.9	118.2	116.4	109.58	107.09	106.47	101.33	99.31	99.31	99.31
Saskatchewan .....	121.8	119.9	115.5	124.6	121.8	117.2	119.2	120.9	109.01	107.33	106.87	104.86	101.45	101.45	101.45
Alberta .....	138.5	135.5	130.5	131.9	128.1	134.2	136.6	137.5	117.54	115.81	115.55	108.66	106.30	106.30	106.30
British Columbia -- Colombie-	142.7	137.7	132.6	131.3	128.6	139.0	138.2	136.3	129.49	127.88	126.95	121.94	120.20	120.20	120.20
Yukon .....	..	140.7	137.3	139.0	132.5	..	130.9	141.7	..	177.79	170.75	173.52	160.83	160.83	160.83
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	119.6	108.3	106.8	101.2	..	114.3	113.9	..	163.43	165.16	172.70	167.19	167.19	167.19
Canada .....	129.8	126.8	123.4	124.6	122.6	126.4	127.2	127.3	118.12	117.26	116.43	109.96	109.46	109.46	109.46

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

JULY 1969

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Advance estimates indicate a decline in the composite index of employment (1961=100) from June to July, 1969. Among the industry divisions, only construction, finance, insurance and real estate, and service showed rises. With the exception of Quebec and Ontario, all regions showed increases. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index fell from 126.6 in June to 125.3 in July. All industry divisions recorded declines except construction and finance, insurance and real estate. The largest decrease occurred in mining, mainly as a result of industrial disputes. All regions recorded declines, the largest in British Columbia.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from June to July. All industry divisions shared in the increase except manufacturing and finance, insurance and real estate, where slight declines were recorded. All regions showed increases.

JUNE 1969

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) at 129.8 was 2.2 p.c. higher than the May index of 127.0 and was 4.2 p.c. higher than in June 1968. Seasonally-adjusted, the index fell by 0.5 p.c. from 127.2 in May to 126.6. There was little difference in the adjusted indexes for most industry divisions from May. The largest change was a 7.3 p.c. decrease in forestry. Slight increases were recorded in trade, finance, insurance and real estate, and service.

All regions showed decreases ranging from 0.2 p.c. in Ontario to 1.7 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased slightly from \$117.26 in May to \$117.72 in June. The largest change among the industry divisions was a \$3.40 decrease in forestry. With the exception of slight declines in the Atlantic Region and Quebec, all regions showed increases. The Prairie Region recorded the greatest gain, 1.7 p.c.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

### EMPLOI ET RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE

JUILLET 1969

(Chiffres sous réserve de rectification)

Selon des estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) a régressé de juin à juillet 1969. Les seules branches d'activité qui ont connu une augmentation sont la construction, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble ainsi que les services. Toutes les régions, sauf le Québec et l'Ontario, ont enregistré des augmentations. Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique a régressé à 125,3 en juillet (126,6 en juin). Toutes les branches d'activité ont diminué sauf la construction, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble. La plus forte diminution est survenue dans l'extraction minière; elle a surtout été causée par les conflits ouvriers. Toutes les régions ont déclaré une diminution, la plus forte se produisant en Colombie-Britannique.

L'indice synthétique de la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a progressé de juin à juillet. Toutes les branches d'activité se sont partagées l'augmentation, sauf la fabrication, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble qui ont légèrement diminué. Toutes les régions ont connu une augmentation.

JUIN 1969

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100), non corrigé des variations saisonnières, était de 129.8 en juin, soit 2.2 p. 100 de plus qu'en mai (127.0) et 4.2 p. 100 de plus qu'en juin 1968. Après correction des variations saisonnières, l'indice a régressé de 0.5 p. 100 soit de 127.2 à 126.6. Les indices rectifiées de la plupart des branches d'activité ont peu varié de mai à juin. L'exploitation forestière a diminué de 7.3 p. 100 et le commerce, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble, ainsi que les services, ont légèrement augmenté.

Dans toutes les régions il y a eu des diminutions variant de 0.2 p. 100 en Ontario à 1.7 p. 100 dans la région de l'Atlantique.

L'indice synthétique de la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a légèrement régressé en juin, passant de \$117.26 à \$117.72. La plus forte variation est survenue dans l'exploitation forestière où la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a diminué de \$3.40. Toutes les régions ont connu une augmentation, sauf la région de l'Atlantique où il y a eu légère diminution. La région des Prairies a enregistré la plus forte augmentation, soit 1.7 p. 100.

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

AUGUST 1969

(Data are subject to revision)

Advance estimates indicate a rise in the composite index of employment (1961=100) from July to August, 1969. Among the industry divisions, manufacturing, construction, trade, and service showed rises in their unadjusted indexes. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index fell slightly from 125.5 in July to 125.0 in August. Construction and trade recorded increases. The largest decrease occurred in mining, mainly as a result of industrial disputes. With the exception of Ontario, all regions recorded increases.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose slightly from July (\$118.56) to August (\$118.75). All industry divisions shared in the increase except finance, insurance and real estate, and trade which recorded declines. All regions showed increases except British Columbia where there was a slight decrease.

JULY 1969

The unadjusted index of employment (1961=100) at 128.7 was 1.2 p.c. lower than the June index of 130.2 and was 3.7 p.c. higher than in July 1968. Seasonally-adjusted, the index fell by 1.1 p.c. from 126.9 p.c. in June to 125.5 in July. Among the industry division, the largest changes in the adjusted indexes were a 6.3 p.c. decrease in forestry, a 5.7 p.c. drop in mining, and a 2.1 p.c. increase in construction. The decline in mining reflected a major industrial dispute in Ontario. The increase in construction resulted mainly from increased activity in the building component and termination of several industrial disputes in Quebec. All regions showed declines ranging from 0.2 p.c. in the Atlantic Region to 2.1 p.c. in British Columbia.

Labour Division  
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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

AOÛT 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) était plus élevé en août qu'en juillet 1969. Il y a eu augmentation de l'indice non corrigé des variations saisonnières dans la fabrication, dans la construction, dans le commerce et dans les services. Après correction des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique a légèrement fléchi, passant de 125.5 à 125.0 entre juillet et août. Il s'est accru dans la construction et dans le commerce. La baisse la plus marquée a été observée dans l'extraction minière et s'explique surtout par des différends ouvriers. Toutes les régions, sauf l'Ontario, ont accusé une augmentation.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, a légèrement augmenté entre juillet (\$118.56) et août (\$118.75). Elle s'est accrue dans toutes les branches d'activité, sauf dans les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble, et le commerce où elle a diminué, et dans toutes les régions, sauf en Colombie-Britannique, où il y a eu une légère baisse.

JUILLET 1969

En juillet 1969, l'indice de l'emploi (1961=100), non corrigé des variations saisonnières, était de 1.2 p. 100 inférieur à celui de juin (128.7 contre 130.2) et de 3.7 p. 100 supérieur à celui de juillet 1968. L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières est passé de 126.9 à 125.5 entre juin et juillet, soit une légère baisse de 1.1 p. 100. Parmi les branches d'activité, les variations les plus importantes de l'indice désaisonnalisé ont eu lieu dans l'industrie forestière (- 6.3 p. 100), l'extraction minière (- 5.7 p. 100) et la construction (+ 2.1 p. 100). La baisse dans l'extraction minière provient d'un important différend ouvrier en Ontario. L'augmentation dans la construction est due principalement à un regain d'activité dans l'élément du bâtiment et au règlement de plusieurs différends ouvriers au Québec. Toutes les régions ont connu des baisses, qui varient entre 0.2 p. 100 (région atlantique) et 2.1 p. 100 (Colombie-Britannique).

Division du travail  
Section de l'emploi

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières									
	Aug. 1969(1)	July 1969(1)	June 1969	Aug. 1968	July 1968	Aug. 1969(1)	July 1969(1)	June 1969	Aug. 1968	July 1968	Aug. 1969(1)	July 1969(1)	June 1969	Aug. 1968	July 1968
	août	juillet	juin	août	juillet	août	juillet	juin	août	juillet	août	juillet	juin	août	juillet
1961=100															
dollars															
Industry division -- Branche d'activité															
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	109.5	107.3	115.4	112.9	..	87.8	93.7	..	130.65	127.07	120.59	118.39		
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	100.9	105.8	111.7	112.6	114.7	97.5	101.7	107.9	146.77	145.79	145.62	139.09	136.82		
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	127.0	125.1	128.9	125.3	121.8	123.2	124.3	125.9	122.61	122.25	122.63	114.48	113.20		
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	134.9	134.0	141.1	133.8	128.2	133.6	135.9	137.7	132.30	131.10	131.75	124.03	121.68		
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	120.7	117.8	119.0	118.4	116.7	115.1	114.9	116.4	113.84	114.08	113.86	105.75	105.67		
Construction .....	133.3	130.0	121.6	135.3	133.0	115.6	114.2	111.9	135.25	132.92	147.80	142.10	140.41		
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	..	115.9	115.2	114.2	108.2	..	110.9	112.1	..	134.12	131.18	123.52	122.65		
Trade -- Commerce .....	134.8	133.2	136.6	128.0	127.1	136.0	134.7	136.5	94.58	95.56	95.00	87.96	88.34		
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	140.4	140.7	139.7	132.8	133.0	139.1	140.4	139.8	114.45	115.22	115.98	107.57	107.03		
Service -- Services .....	179.6	179.2	178.5	165.6	163.9	167.0	170.1	171.8	85.24	84.98	84.22	79.42	79.35		
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	130.1	128.7	130.2	126.9	124.0	125.0	125.5	126.9	118.75	118.56	117.61	110.95	109.97		
Province and region -- Province et région															
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	128.3	126.4	124.0	125.6	123.4	119.0	117.3	117.6	97.18	97.18	96.57	90.23	89.21		
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	127.6	125.5	122.3	131.1	129.0	114.0	110.4	111.4	103.80	104.50	104.82	100.04	98.42		
Prince Edward Island -- Ile-du- Prince-Edouard .....	149.0	146.2	142.7	147.7	147.1	133.4	130.4	134.1	81.41	83.00	78.69	70.67	69.32		
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Ecosse ....	126.7	125.9	122.7	120.7	117.5	121.6	120.7	119.6	95.69	95.61	95.05	88.12	87.22		
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	128.7	125.8	124.9	126.0	124.8	118.6	118.2	118.8	96.32	95.82	94.97	88.21	87.50		
Quebec .....	125.0	122.6	122.8	122.3	119.6	119.8	119.0	119.5	115.67	115.38	114.10	108.86	107.70		
Ontario .....	130.9	130.2	134.4	128.6	124.7	127.6	129.6	131.6	122.71	122.26	121.58	114.82	113.75		
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	130.5	130.6	129.7	126.9	125.4	124.3	124.1	125.8	114.65	114.45	113.33	105.28	104.96		
Manitoba .....	121.6	121.3	120.6	119.1	117.6	116.6	116.3	117.4	110.44	110.15	108.87	102.01	101.72		
Saskatchewan .....	121.9	121.8	122.0	125.2	123.0	114.7	114.6	117.5	109.35	108.57	108.36	101.86	102.63		
Alberta .....	141.6	142.2	140.5	134.3	133.1	134.8	134.8	136.2	119.58	119.62	118.35	109.05	108.27		
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	143.5	140.4	140.1	134.9	132.9	135.7	133.6	136.5	130.19	131.44	129.31	121.85	121.17		
Yukon .....	..	143.9	143.6	144.7	144.8	..	122.2	125.5	..	177.33	179.17	165.78	171.76		
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	130.4	126.6	121.1	116.6	..	111.7	112.9	..	165.82	167.13	171.49	167.12		
Canada .....	130.1	128.7	130.2	126.9	124.0	125.0	125.5	126.9	118.75	118.56	117.61	110.95	109.97		

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT,  
AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

SEPTEMBER 1969

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Advance estimates indicate a slight decline in the composite index of employment from August to September, 1969. With the exception of trade, all industry divisions showed decreases in their unadjusted indexes. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index rose from 125.8 in August to 126.8 in September. The largest increase occurred in service. All regions recorded showed rises.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose slightly from August (\$119.15) to September (\$119.95). All industry divisions shared in the increase except trade, finance, insurance and real estate, and service which recorded declines. Among the regions, all showed increases except the Atlantic Region and the Prairie Region where there were slight declines.

AUGUST 1969

Employment. - The unadjusted index of employment (1961=100) at 130.6 was 1.2 p.c. higher than the July index of 129.1 and was 2.9 p.c. higher than in August 1968. Seasonally-adjusted, the index fell by 0.2 p.c. from 126.1 in July to 125.8 in August. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes in the adjusted indexes were a 2.5 p.c. decrease in forestry, a 2.1 p.c. drop in mining, and a 1.9 p.c. increase in construction. The decline in mining reflected a major industrial dispute in Ontario. The increase in construction resulted mainly from increased activity in the building component. Ontario with a 1.1 p.c. decline and British Columbia with a 3.1 p.c. rise recorded the largest changes among the regions. Increases in the other regions were small.

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased from \$118.21 in July to \$119.15 in August. The largest changes among the industry divisions were a \$2.31 increase in construction and a \$2.04 gain in mining. With the exception of British Columbia, all regions recorded rises.

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SEPTEMBRE 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi a légèrement fléchi entre août et septembre 1969. Les indices non corrigés des variations saisonnières ont diminué dans toutes les branches d'activité sauf dans le commerce. L'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé a augmenté, passant de 125.8 en août à 126.8 en septembre. L'accroissement le plus marqué a eu lieu dans les services. Toutes les régions ont connu des augmentations.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, a légèrement augmenté entre août (\$119.15) et septembre (\$119.95). Toutes les branches d'activité ont contribué à l'accroissement, sauf le commerce, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble ainsi que les services, où on a enregistré des baisses. Toutes les régions ont connu des augmentations, sauf la région de l'Atlantique et celle des Prairies, où il y a eu de faibles diminutions.

AOÛT 1969

Emploi. - L'indice de l'emploi (1961=100), non corrigé des variations saisonnières, est de 130.6, soit 1.2 p. 100 de plus qu'en juillet (129.1) et 2.9 p. 100 de plus qu'en août 1968. L'indice désaisonnalisé a fléchi de 0.2 p. 100, tombant de 126.1 en juillet à 125.8 en août. Parmi les branches d'activité, les variations relatives les plus importantes ont eu lieu dans l'industrie forestière (- 2.5 p. 100), l'extraction minière (- 2.1 p. 100) et la construction (+ 1.9 p. 100). La baisse dans l'extraction minière résulte d'un important différend ouvrier en Ontario. L'augmentation dans la construction est due principalement à un regain d'activité dans le bâtiment. Les plus fortes variations ont été enregistrées en Ontario (- 1.1 p. 100) et en Colombie-Britannique (+ 3.1 p. 100). Dans les autres régions, les augmentations sont négligeables.

RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, s'est accrue en passant de \$118.21 en juillet à \$119.15 en août. Les variations les plus importantes parmi les branches d'activité sont l'augmentation de \$2.31 dans la construction et celle de \$2.04 dans l'extraction minière. À l'exception de la Colombie-Britannique, toutes les régions ont enregistré des augmentations.

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Industry division et province	Employment index numbers											
	Nombres-indices de l'emploi						Seasonally-adjusted					
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AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

OCTOBER 1969

(Data are subject to revision)

Advance estimates indicate a slight drop in the composite index of employment from September to October, 1969. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes were a decrease in forestry and a rise in trade. Other changes were small. With the exception of Ontario, where there was a slight increase, all regions showed declines.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index rose slightly. All industry divisions except forestry showed increases. Among the regions, all recorded rises except the Atlantic Region which showed little change from September.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from September to October. All industry divisions shared in the increase except construction which showed a decline and trade where there was little change. All regions recorded increases.

SEPTEMBER 1969

The unadjusted index of employment (1961=100) at 130.2 was 0.7 p.c. lower than the August index of 131.1 and was 2.8 p.c. higher than in September 1968. Seasonally-adjusted, the index rose 0.2 p.c. from 126.5 in August to 126.8 in September. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes in the adjusted indexes were increases of 1.3 p.c. in forestry, 1.3 p.c. in trade, and 1.1 p.c. in mining. For other industry divisions, there was little difference from August in their seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. The 0.2 p.c. decline in manufacturing resulted from a 0.7 p.c. drop in durable goods. This decrease occurred mainly in primary metals (4.7 p.c.) due to an industrial dispute in Ontario. With the exception of British Columbia which showed a 0.4 p.c. decline, all regions recorded slight rises.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased from \$119.07 in August to \$120.22 in September. The largest changes among the industry division were a \$4.04 increase in forestry and a \$2.95 gain in manufacturing. The rise in manufacturing resulted mainly from an increase in durable goods with the largest gains in primary metals (\$5.97) and in transportation equipment (\$6.73). With the exception of the Prairie Region, which showed a slight drop, all regions recorded rises. These increases ranged from \$0.41 in the Atlantic Region to \$3.17 in British Columbia.

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(Données sujettes à révision)

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi était un peu moins élevé en septembre qu'en octobre 1969. Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus marqués sont une baisse dans l'exploitation forestière et un accroissement dans le commerce. Les autres changements sont faibles. L'indice a régressé dans toutes les régions, sauf en Ontario, où il y a eu une légère augmentation.

L'indice synthétique corrigé des variations saisonnières a progressé légèrement. Toutes les branches d'activité, sauf l'exploitation forestière, ont contribué à l'augmentation. Sur le plan régional, la progression a été générale, si l'on fait exception de la région de l'Atlantique, où la variation par rapport à septembre a été peu marquée.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté entre septembre et octobre. Cette augmentation a touché toutes les branches d'activité, sauf la construction, qui fait apparaître une diminution, et le commerce, où il y a eu peu de changement. Toutes les régions accusent une augmentation.

SEPTEMBRE 1969

L'indice synthétique non désaisonnalisé (1961=100) était en septembre de 0.7 p. 100 moins élevé qu'en août (130.2 contre 131.1), et de 2.8 p. 100 plus élevé qu'en septembre 1968. L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières est passé de 126.5 en août à 126.8 en septembre (+ 0.2 p. 100). Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus importants survenus dans les indices désaisonnalisés ressortissent à l'exploitation forestière, (+ 1.3 p. 100), au commerce (+ 1.3 p. 100) et à l'extraction minière (+ 1.1 p. 100). Pour les autres branches d'activité, les indices corrigés des variations saisonnières ont peu varié par rapport au mois d'août. La baisse de 0.2 p. 100 dans la fabrication est le résultat d'une diminution de 0.7 p. 100 dans les biens durables. Cette diminution apparaît notamment dans les métaux de forme primaire (- 4.7 p. 100), secteur où un conflit du travail a éclaté en Ontario. Toutes les régions accusent une faible augmentation, sauf la Colombie-Britannique (- 0.4 p. 100).

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, a monté de \$119.07 à \$120.22 d'un mois à l'autre. Les changements les plus importants parmi les branches d'activité sont les augmentations de \$4.04 dans l'exploitation forestière et de \$2.95 dans la fabrication. La hausse dans la fabrication découle principalement d'une augmentation survenue dans les biens durables, dont le gros s'est produit dans les métaux de forme primaire (\$5.97) et dans le matériel de transport (\$6.73). Toutes les régions ont connu une augmentation, sauf la région des Prairies, où il y a eu une légère diminution. Ces augmentations s'échelonnent de \$0.41 (région de l'Atlantique) à \$3.17 (Colombie-Britannique).

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provinciaux

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
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	1961=100										dollars			
Industry division -- Branche d'activité														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ...	104.3	108.4	111.2	102.7	107.4	89.1	90.1	88.9	137.35	136.73	132.69	124.77	122.86	
Mining -- Extraction minière ...	101.4	101.2	103.5	110.1	110.4	102.1	100.9	99.8	152.71	149.42	147.97	143.01	141.13	
Manufacturing -- Fabrication ...	126.0	126.9	127.9	124.6	125.8	124.6	124.2	124.5	126.55	125.50	122.55	118.08	117.08	
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	136.7	136.1	136.4	134.7	135.3	135.3	134.6	135.5	136.51	136.47	131.99	128.34	127.87	
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	117.2	119.5	121.0	116.4	118.1	115.8	115.8	115.5	117.14	115.37	113.85	108.48	107.09	
Construction	133.9	134.1	136.3	131.9	133.9	121.3	120.3	120.5	158.05	159.57	156.85	143.17	145.05	
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique	...	115.0	117.2	111.5	113.0	...	111.8	111.8	...	135.07	135.65	125.40	125.08	
Trade -- Commerce	141.4	138.7	134.9	132.6	130.3	139.3	138.0	136.3	94.40	94.51	94.63	88.16	88.16	
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble	140.7	139.7	140.4	132.2	131.7	140.4	139.6	139.1	113.99	113.33	114.24	108.34	107.84	
Service -- Services	177.9	178.8	184.3	162.8	164.4	176.8	173.7	172.9	84.70	84.65	84.89	80.07	79.62	
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	129.9	130.2	131.1	126.0	126.7	127.5	126.8	126.5	121.09	120.22	119.07	112.89	112.52	
Province and region -- Province et région														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	124.0	125.9	128.6	121.5	122.5	119.1	119.2	118.9	99.69	98.79	98.38	91.13	91.45	
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	128.7	130.6	133.1	128.2	126.3	119.9	118.6	118.2	107.17	106.20	105.53	99.53	101.26	
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	138.9	148.7	154.6	147.2	150.4	127.0	134.6	138.8	81.97	80.23	79.14	68.77	69.40	
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	119.3	120.6	123.1	116.8	118.2	116.2	116.5	118.2	98.26	96.23	97.41	89.67	89.68	
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	125.3	127.1	130.1	120.4	122.8	121.6	120.5	119.6	98.10	96.44	96.80	89.56	89.43	
Quebec	123.9	124.3	125.1	120.9	121.8	120.8	120.4	120.2	118.74	117.56	116.60	110.49	110.21	
Ontario	132.2	131.9	132.0	129.8	129.7	130.4	129.6	129.3	124.77	123.87	122.44	117.34	116.81	
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	130.4	131.0	132.1	124.1	125.9	128.4	127.0	126.4	115.02	114.49	114.97	106.43	105.99	
Manitoba	132.7	132.6	133.0	118.6	119.6	118.7	118.7	118.7	110.13	109.66	110.12	103.25	102.23	
Saskatchewan	120.4	122.5	123.7	121.2	123.6	116.6	117.7	117.2	109.88	108.35	109.88	104.75	103.74	
Alberta	141.1	141.7	143.2	129.9	132.1	139.9	137.7	136.5	120.41	120.21	120.30	109.54	109.75	
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	142.2	143.3	146.4	131.9	133.7	140.5	138.6	139.1	133.84	133.81	130.64	123.31	123.24	
Yukon	142.9	127.7	140.2	143.7	144.9	136.5	116.0	122.1	171.34	159.80	169.65	169.11	166.09	
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	136.8	137.6	136.8	111.4	120.2	137.6	125.6	113.8	172.84	168.22	172.24	173.18	168.98	
Canada	129.9	130.2	131.1	126.0	126.7	127.5	126.8	126.5	121.09	120.22	119.07	112.89	112.52	

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Advance estimates indicate a slight drop in the composite index of employment from October to November, 1969. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes were an increase in mining and a decrease in construction. The gain in mining resulted from the settlement of several industrial disputes in Ontario. Other changes were small. With the exception of Ontario where there was a slight rise, all regions showed declines.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index rose slightly. Mining and durable-goods manufacturing showed increases; all other industry divisions recorded declines. Among the regions, Ontario and British Columbia showed rises. Slight decreases were recorded in other regions.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from October to November. All industry divisions shared in the increase except mining where there was a decline. All regions recorded increases.

OCTOBER 1969

The unadjusted index of employment (1961 = 100) at 129.8 was 0.4 p.c. lower than the September index of 130.3 and was 3.0 p.c. higher than in October 1968. Seasonally-adjusted, the index rose 0.6 p.c. from 126.7 in September to 127.4 in October. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes were a 2.3 p.c. decrease in forestry and a 1.8 p.c. increase in service. For other industry divisions, there was little difference from September in their seasonally-adjusted employment indexes. With the exception of the Atlantic Region, where there was no change, all regions recorded increases.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased slightly from \$120.49 in September to \$120.89 in October. The largest changes among the industry divisions were increases of \$3.22 in mining and \$1.55 in transportation, communication and other utilities. Other changes were small. With the exception of British Columbia, which showed a slight drop, all regions recorded rises.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉNUMÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

NOVEMBRE 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi était un peu moins élevé en novembre qu'en octobre 1969. Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus marqués sont une baisse dans la construction et une avance dans l'extraction minière. La hausse de l'industrie minière a résulté du règlement de différends ouvriers en Ontario. Les autres changements ont été faibles. L'indice a régressé dans toutes les régions, sauf en Ontario où il y a eu une légère augmentation.

L'indice synthétique corrigé des variations saisonnières a progressé légèrement. Toutes les branches d'activité, sauf l'exploitation minière et la fabrication des biens durables, ont connu une baisse. Sur le plan régional, l'Ontario et la Colombie-Britannique indiquaient une avance et les autres régions, de légers reculs.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté entre octobre et novembre. Cette augmentation a touché toutes les branches d'activité, sauf l'extraction minière, qui a subi une diminution. Toutes les régions accusent des augmentations.

OCTOBRE 1969

L'indice non désaisonnalisé de l'emploi (1961 = 100) était 129.8 en octobre, soit 0.4 p. 100 moins élevé qu'en septembre (130.3), mais 3.0 p. 100 plus élevé qu'en octobre 1968. L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières est passé de 126.7 en septembre à 127.4 en octobre (+ 0.6 p. 100). Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus importants ressortissent à l'exploitation forestière (+ 2.3 p. 100) et aux services (+ 1.8 p. 100). Pour les autres branches d'activité, les indices corrigés des variations saisonnières ont peu varié par rapport au mois de septembre. Toutes les régions accusent des augmentations, sauf la région de l'Atlantique où il n'y a eu aucun mouvement.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, a monté de \$120.49 à \$120.89 de septembre à octobre. Les changements les plus importants parmi les branches d'activité sont les augmentations de \$3.22 dans l'exploitation minière et de \$1.55 dans les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique. Les autres variations sont faibles. Toutes les régions ont connu une augmentation, sauf la Colombie-Britannique, où il y a eu une légère diminution.

Division du travail  
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Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi						Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne						
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières						Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnnières						
	Nov. 1969 (1)	Oct. 1969 (1)	Sept. 1969	Nov. 1968	Oct. 1968	Sept. 1969	Nov. 1969 (1)	Oct. 1969 (1)	Sept. 1969	Nov. 1968	Oct. 1968		
	1961=100						dollars						
Industry division -- Branche d'activité													
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	103.4	108.8	92.2	102.7	..	88.3	90.4	..	136.73	137.54	133.06	124.77
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	121.1	101.3	101.7	109.7	110.1	122.2	102.0	101.4	146.15	153.02	149.80	145.15	143.01
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	126.4	126.3	127.0	124.0	124.6	125.8	124.9	124.3	130.27	126.17	125.62	118.70	118.08
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	139.7	137.5	136.2	134.8	134.7	138.7	136.1	134.9	142.25	135.92	136.53	128.80	128.34
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	115.6	117.3	119.5	115.3	116.4	115.4	115.9	115.8	118.54	116.92	115.55	109.14	108.48
Construction .....	124.3	133.0	134.8	123.6	131.9	119.4	120.5	120.3	161.38	159.38	159.67	142.67	143.17
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	..	112.9	114.9	110.9	111.5	..	111.7	111.7	..	137.09	135.54	126.48	125.40
Trade -- Commerce .....	144.8	141.2	138.6	137.9	132.6	138.7	139.1	137.8	95.74	95.00	95.15	89.27	88.16
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	140.5	140.9	140.0	133.3	132.2	140.3	140.6	139.9	115.33	113.99	113.27	109.38	108.34
Service -- Services .....	173.9	178.3	179.2	160.1	162.8	175.9	177.2	174.1	87.71	84.87	84.55	81.48	80.07
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	129.6	129.8	130.3	125.7	126.0	127.9	127.4	126.7	123.05	120.89	120.49	113.37	112.89
Province and region -- Province et région													
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	119.7	123.4	125.2	119.1	121.5	117.1	118.5	118.5	100.94	99.42	99.37	92.18	91.13
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	122.0	128.5	132.7	121.6	128.2	117.7	119.7	120.5	110.36	108.18	107.13	100.56	99.53
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	134.9	144.6	146.5	149.7	147.2	125.6	132.2	132.6	81.28	79.49	79.51	71.61	68.77
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse .....	116.7	118.8	119.7	116.5	116.8	114.6	115.8	115.6	98.50	97.02	98.40	90.09	89.67
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	120.3	123.6	125.0	117.8	120.4	118.5	119.9	118.5	99.61	98.40	97.25	91.46	89.56
Québec .....	122.2	123.8	124.3	120.1	120.9	120.2	120.7	120.4	120.49	118.77	117.97	110.49	110.49
Ontario .....	134.5	132.5	132.1	130.4	129.8	132.6	130.7	129.8	126.91	124.60	124.15	117.18	117.34
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	128.4	129.9	131.2	123.6	124.1	127.7	127.9	127.2	115.81	114.52	114.46	106.94	106.43
Manitoba .....	120.2	122.1	122.6	117.4	118.6	119.2	119.8	118.6	110.04	109.20	109.68	103.71	103.25
Saskatchewan .....	117.1	119.4	122.4	120.6	121.2	115.1	115.6	117.6	110.95	109.26	108.45	104.32	104.75
Alberta .....	139.9	140.8	142.1	130.1	129.9	140.0	139.6	138.1	121.68	120.27	120.07	110.42	109.54
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	140.3	142.0	143.5	130.8	131.9	140.5	140.3	138.8	136.82	133.12	133.76	124.63	123.31
Yukon .....	..	135.2	136.3	128.9	143.7	..	129.2	123.8	..	170.62	160.68	172.28	169.11
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	127.4	138.5	105.2	106.0	..	128.2	126.4	..	180.68	167.97	169.08	173.18
Canada .....	129.6	129.8	130.3	125.7	126.0	127.9	127.4	126.7	123.05	120.89	120.49	113.37	112.89

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DECEMBER 1969

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Advance estimates indicate a decrease in the composite index of employment from November to December, 1969. Among the industry divisions, manufacturing, construction and service showed declines, resulting generally from layoffs and absenteeism associated with the holiday season. All regions recorded decreases.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment rose slightly. All industry divisions recorded increases with the exception of trade and service which showed declines. All regions showed rise.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level fell from November to December. This decrease resulted mainly from short-time in the manufacturing, construction, and service industry divisions. All regions recorded declines.

NOVEMBER 1969

The unadjusted index of employment (1961=100) at 129.9 was slightly lower than the October index of 130.0 and was 3.3 p.c. higher than in November 1968. Seasonally-adjusted, the index rose 0.4 p.c. from 127.7 in October to 128.2 in November. Among the industry divisions, the largest percentage change was a 10.3 p.c. increase in mining. The gain in mining resulted mainly from the termination of industrial disputes in Ontario. Other changes were relatively small. All regions recorded decreases except Ontario which showed a rise and British Columbia where there was no change.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level increased slightly from \$120.71 in October to \$121.41 in November. The largest changes among the industry divisions were increases of \$3.85 in forestry, \$1.25 in manufacturing, and \$1.61 in service. Other changes were relatively small. With the exception of Quebec which showed virtually no change, all regions recorded rises. These gains ranged from \$0.46 in the Prairie Region to \$1.67 in the Atlantic Region.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

DÉCEMBRE 1969

(Données sujettes à révision)

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi a été moins élevé en décembre qu'en novembre 1969. Parmi les branches d'activité, on a enregistré une diminution dans la fabrication, la construction et les services à cause, en général, des mises à pied et de l'absentéisme à l'occasion des congés des Fêtes. Toutes les régions ont accusé une baisse de l'emploi.

L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières a légèrement augmenté. Toutes les branches d'activité ont enregistré des avances, sauf le commerce et les services, où il y a eu régression. Toutes les régions accusent une augmentation.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a baissé de novembre à décembre. Cette baisse résulte principalement de la faible durée de travail dans la fabrication, la construction et les services. Toutes les régions accusent une baisse.

NOVEMBRE 1969

L'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé de l'emploi (1961=100) a été de 129.9 soit un peu plus faible qu'en octobre (130.0) mais de 3.3 p. 100 supérieur à l'indice de novembre 1968. L'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières a augmenté de 0.4 p. 100, passant de 127.7 en octobre à 128.2 en novembre. Parmi les branches d'activité, la variation proportionnelle la plus marquée a été l'avance de 10.3 p. 100 dans l'extraction minière. Cette augmentation provient principalement de ce qu'un différend industriel avait été réglé en Ontario. Les autres variations ont été insignifiantes. Toutes les régions ont subi des régressions, sauf l'Ontario qui a enregistré une augmentation et la Colombie-Britannique qui n'a observé aucun changement.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, a augmenté légèrement, passant de \$120.71 en octobre à \$121.41 en novembre. Les variations les plus notables parmi les branches d'activité ont été les hausses de \$3.85 dans l'exploitation forestière, de \$1.25 dans la fabrication et de \$1.61 dans les services. Les autres variations ont été relativement faibles. À l'exception du Québec, où le changement a été à peu près nul, toutes les régions ont enregistré des augmentations. Ces augmentations varient de \$0.46 dans la région des Prairies à \$1.67 dans la région de l'Atlantique.

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Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnnières								
	1961=100										dollars			
	Déc. 1969(1)	Nov. 1969(1)	Oct. 1969	Déc. 1968	Nov. 1968	Déc. 1969(1)	Nov. 1969(1)	Oct. 1969	Déc. 1969(1)	Nov. 1969(1)	Oct. 1969	Déc. 1968	Nov. 1968	
Industry division -- Branche d'activité														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	96.8	103.3	75.6	92.2	87.5	88.2	140.53	136.68	124.41	133.06				
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	111.5	101.4	108.3	109.7	114.2	102.0	153.99	153.36	153.14	141.82	145.15			
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	123.4	126.4	126.7	124.0	126.3	125.2	122.58	127.18	125.93	114.92	118.70			
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	136.4	137.7	133.4	134.8	138.0	136.3	129.91	137.15	135.67	122.61	128.80			
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	112.9	115.9	117.7	115.3	116.8	116.3	115.41	117.48	116.70	107.50	109.14			
Construction .....	106.1	133.3	103.1	123.6	122.1	121.0	129.43	159.37	158.78	118.07	142.67			
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services	112.4	112.7	109.5	110.9	112.0	111.4	137.01	136.61	126.07	126.48				
Trade -- Commerce .....	145.6	141.0	139.8	137.9	138.1	139.1	94.97	94.90	95.01	89.04	88.27			
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	142.5	141.1	133.6	133.3	143.0	140.8	115.70	114.97	114.39	109.77	109.38			
Service -- Services .....	169.2	174.9	179.3	155.7	176.5	178.2	86.59	86.56	84.95	81.60	81.48			
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	126.8	129.9	130.0	122.7	125.7	127.7	117.07	121.41	120.71	109.95	113.37			
Province and region -- Province et région														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	117.6	121.0	123.9	114.3	119.1	120.5	118.3	119.0	97.34	100.84	99.17	90.39	92.18	
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	116.8	122.4	129.0	113.5	121.6	123.1	118.1	120.2	107.47	111.28	108.12	97.81	100.56	
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	129.5	137.9	145.2	137.5	149.7	132.0	128.4	132.8	78.24	80.43	79.38	73.80	71.61	
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ....	116.9	118.9	119.8	113.6	116.5	118.3	116.8	116.7	93.64	98.01	96.61	87.00	90.09	
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	117.7	121.1	123.5	113.7	117.8	119.9	119.3	119.8	97.12	99.43	98.20	91.50	91.46	
Québec .....	118.9	122.1	123.8	116.1	120.1	121.2	120.1	120.7	114.18	118.49	118.50	108.12	111.46	
Ontario .....	131.7	134.6	132.8	127.9	130.4	132.9	132.7	131.0	120.48	125.27	124.42	113.22	117.18	
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	125.9	128.5	130.0	121.2	123.6	128.4	127.8	128.0	111.83	114.38	104.91	106.94	106.94	
Manitoba .....	117.3	120.6	122.3	113.5	117.4	120.0	119.5	120.0	105.83	108.54	109.10	100.88	103.71	
Saskatchewan .....	115.2	117.4	119.7	117.5	120.6	118.1	115.4	115.9	108.42	109.26	103.17	104.32	104.32	
Alberta .....	137.6	139.7	140.7	129.2	130.1	140.5	139.8	139.5	117.34	120.91	108.56	110.42	110.42	
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	138.5	142.1	142.2	129.0	130.8	142.5	142.3	140.5	129.54	134.28	133.17	120.20	124.63	
Yukon .....	..	133.6	135.2	128.2	128.9	..	141.1	129.2	..	167.79	170.70	142.96	172.28	
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	120.3	127.7	98.6	105.2	..	128.3	128.5	..	173.66	180.73	164.05	169.08	
Canada .....	126.8	129.9	130.0	122.7	125.7	129.0	128.2	127.7	117.07	121.41	120.71	109.95	113.37	

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Advance estimates indicate a decrease in the unadjusted composite index of employment from December to January, mainly resulting from seasonal declines in construction and trade. All regions recorded decreases.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment rose slightly. Among the industry divisions the largest relative changes were a decrease in construction and an increase in trade. Other changes were small. All regions showed increases except Ontario which recorded a slight decline.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from December to January mainly as a result of return to normal activity following short-time associated with the year-end holiday season. All industry divisions showed increases with the largest relative gains recorded in manufacturing and construction. All regions showed increases.

DECEMBER 1969

The unadjusted index of employment (1961=100) at 126.5 was 2.7 p.c. lower than the November index of 130.1 and was 3.1 p.c. higher than in December 1968. All industry divisions contributed to the decline with forestry and construction showing the largest relative decreases, 11.4 p.c. and 15.3 p.c., respectively. Wide-spread layoffs and absenteeism associated with the year-end holiday season were major factors. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index showed virtually no change from 128.4 in November to 128.5 in December. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes were increases of 2.5 p.c. in forestry, 1.3 p.c. in mining, and 1.0 p.c. in construction. The rise in forestry was partially the result of greater than seasonal layoffs in November. For other industry divisions, there was little difference in the seasonally-adjusted indexes from last month. The region showed little change in the adjusted composite indexes of employment.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level dropped \$4.33 from \$121.42 in November to \$117.09 in December. The largest relative changes recorded were declines in construction (\$29.84) in forestry (\$6.65), and in manufacturing (\$4.72). Short-time and unpaid holidays mainly due to the year-end season were major contributing factors. Other changes were small. All regions showed decreases.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

JANVIER 1970

(Données sujettes à révision)

Les estimations provisoires indiquent une baisse de l'indice synthétique de l'emploi, non corrigé des variations saisonnières, de décembre à janvier, par suite principalement des régressions saisonnières dans la construction et le commerce. Toutes les régions ont enregistré des baisses.

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi, corrigé des variations saisonnières, a légèrement monté. Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus marqués sont la diminution dans la construction et l'augmentation dans le commerce. Les autres changements ont été peu considérables. Toutes les régions ont signalé des avances, sauf l'Ontario qui a connu un faible recul.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté dans l'ensemble, de décembre à janvier, surtout grâce au retour à l'activité normale après le ralentissement du temps des Fêtes. Toutes les branches d'activité indiquaient des avances, les gains relatifs les plus importants ayant été enregistrés par la fabrication et par la construction.

DÉCEMBRE 1969

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100), non corrigé des variations saisonnières, a baissé de 2.7 p. 100 en passant de 130.1 en novembre à 126.5 en décembre, mais il a marqué une hausse de 3.1 p. 100 par rapport à décembre 1968. Toutes les branches d'activité ont contribué à la régression, les industries forestière et de la construction connaissant les baisses relatives les plus marquées, soit 11.4 p. 100 et 15.3 p. 100 respectivement. Les nombreuses mises à pieds et les absences au temps des Fêtes ont été les principaux facteurs de ces reculs. L'indice synthétique, corrigé des variations saisonnières, n'a pratiquement pas changé: de 128.4 en novembre il est passé à 128.5 en décembre. Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus importants ont été des augmentations de 2.5 p. 100 dans l'exploitation forestière, de 1.3 p. 100 dans l'extraction minière et de 1.0 p. 100 dans la construction. L'avance de l'industrie forestière provenait en partie du nombre accru de mises à pieds saisonnières en novembre. Dans les autres branches d'activité, on a observé par rapport au mois précédent peu de différence dans les indices corrigés des variations saisonnières. Dans les régions, les indices synthétiques de l'emploi, corrigés des variations saisonnières, avaient peu varié.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne (\$117.09) a baissé de \$4.33 par rapport au chiffre de \$121.42 en novembre. Les changements relatifs les plus importants ont été signalés dans la construction (\$29.84), l'industrie forestière (\$6.65) et la fabrication (\$4.72). Les horaires réduits et les congés sans paie de la période des Fêtes ont été les principaux facteurs de ces diminutions. Les autres changements étaient peu considérables. Toutes les régions ont enregistré des baisses.

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Section de l'emploi

Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division -- Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi						Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted -- Non corrigés des variations saisonnières			Seasonally-adjusted -- Corrigés des variations saisonnières						
	Jan. 1970p	Déc. 1969p	Nov. 1969	Jan. 1970p	Déc. 1969p	Nov. 1969	Jan. 1970p	Déc. 1969p	Nov. 1969	Jan. 1969
	1961=100						dollars			
Industry division -- Branche d'activité										
Forestry -- Industrie forestière	..	85.6	96.6	65.4	75.6	87.3	..	134.14	140.79	118.24
Mining -- Extraction minière	111.9	111.1	111.4	109.8	108.3	113.8	113.9	153.19	153.91	146.72
Manufacturing -- Fabrication	122.9	123.3	126.4	121.8	121.4	125.4	122.46	127.18	119.47	114.92
Durable goods -- Biens durables	135.4	136.5	139.5	133.6	133.4	137.0	137.0	129.81	137.13	128.17
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	112.8	112.5	115.9	112.2	111.7	116.3	116.3	115.25	117.49	107.50
Construction	102.3	106.7	126.0	103.6	103.1	117.9	122.0	130.16	160.00	140.40
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique	..	110.4	112.5	108.0	109.5	..	..	134.90	137.00	128.67
Trade -- Commerce	137.0	145.5	145.2	131.7	139.8	140.3	137.9	94.93	94.79	90.55
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier	142.0	141.7	141.8	134.3	133.6	142.7	142.2	115.89	115.07	110.87
Service -- Services	169.4	168.9	175.3	157.8	155.7	177.4	176.2	88.07	86.34	82.01
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	124.5	126.5	130.1	121.4	122.7	128.7	128.5	122.37	121.42	114.04
Province and region -- Province et région										
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	112.0	115.5	120.5	112.0	114.3	119.1	118.3	102.17	101.01	95.42
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	111.5	114.3	122.4	110.3	113.5	124.8	120.4	109.85	107.10	103.65
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	116.9	124.1	132.8	111.6	137.5	135.4	126.5	83.08	82.76	80.59
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	111.5	115.3	118.5	113.4	113.6	115.8	116.7	99.50	94.95	91.28
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	112.5	115.6	120.5	111.5	113.7	118.0	117.8	102.20	98.15	96.51
Québec	117.1	118.4	122.2	115.3	116.1	121.9	120.7	118.51	113.88	108.12
Ontario	129.7	131.6	134.9	127.3	127.9	132.3	132.8	126.63	120.46	117.93
Prarie region -- Région des Prairies	123.0	125.5	128.6	118.5	121.2	128.0	127.9	116.51	112.18	108.01
Manitoba	115.1	116.6	120.6	112.2	113.5	119.1	119.2	109.98	105.72	100.88
Saskatchewan	110.3	114.5	116.9	112.2	117.5	117.5	117.4	112.03	108.38	103.94
Alberta	134.9	137.5	140.2	126.4	129.2	139.7	140.3	122.71	118.11	113.10
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	136.5	139.2	142.4	125.6	129.0	143.4	143.3	134.26	129.54	122.21
Yukon	..	132.1	136.0	125.5	128.2	..	148.1	162.74	167.88	180.89
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	..	116.2	120.0	101.2	98.6	..	136.6	163.21	173.26	166.85
Canada	124.5	126.5	130.1	121.4	122.7	128.7	128.5	122.37	121.42	114.04

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE  
WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIESFEBRUARY 1970

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Advance estimates indicate little change in the unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) from January to February. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes were increases in mining and service and a decline in trade. All other divisions showed gains except manufacturing which remained unchanged. With the exception of Ontario which recorded a slight rise, all regions showed decreases.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment rose slightly. Most industry divisions recorded increases. In manufacturing, the adjusted index showed a small decline. All regions recorded a rise except British Columbia where there was a decrease.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from January to February. All industry divisions shared in the increase except finance, insurance and real estate, where a decline was recorded. All regions showed gains.

JANUARY 1970

The unadjusted index of employment (1961=100) at 124.4 was 1.7 p.c. lower than 126.5 in December and was 2.5 p.c. higher than in January, 1969. All industry divisions shared in the decline except mining, finance, insurance and real estate, and service which showed little change. This decrease was primarily the result of seasonal layoffs. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index showed no change from 128.4 in December to 128.4 in January. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative changes were a decrease of 3.8 p.c. in construction and increases of 1.2 p.c. in both transportation, communication and other utilities and in trade. Among the regions, Quebec recorded a 1.1 p.c. increase and Ontario, a 0.7 p.c. decline; the others showed little change. Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose \$6.07 from \$116.87 in December to \$122.96 in January. All industry divisions contributed to the rise with the largest relative increases recorded in construction (\$29.38), in manufacturing (\$7.04), and in mining (\$6.01). These changes resulted mainly from the return to a normal work week following widespread short-time in December associated with the holiday season. Increases were recorded in all regions ranging from \$4.86 in the Prairie Region to \$6.61 in Ontario.

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CHIFFRES PROVISOIRESFÉVRIER 1970

(Données sujettes à révision)

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) a peu varié de janvier à février. Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus notables ont été les augmentations de l'extraction minière et des services et la diminution du commerce. Toutes les autres branches d'activité ont fait ressortir des avances, sauf l'industrie manufacturière qui est restée inchangée. Sauf l'Ontario, qui a enregistré une légère hausse, toutes les régions indiquaient des baisses.

L'indice synthétique corrigé des variations saisonnières a légèrement monté. La plupart des branches d'activité ont enregistré des accroissements. Dans l'industrie manufacturière, l'indice corrigé des variations saisonnières indiquait un léger fléchissement. Toutes les régions accusent une hausse, excepté la Colombie-Britannique où il s'est produit une baisse.

L'indice synthétique de la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté de janvier à février. L'augmentation a été enregistrée dans toutes les branches, sauf dans celle de la finance, assurance et immeuble où une diminution s'est produite. Toutes les régions ont signalé des avances.

JANVIER 1970

L'indice non corrigé des variations saisonnières (1961=100), établi à 124.4, était de 1.7 p. 100 inférieur à celui de 126.5 en décembre et de 2.5 p. 100 supérieur à celui de janvier 1969. Toutes les branches d'activité se partageaient la réduction, sauf l'extraction minière, la finance, l'assurance et l'immeuble et les services qui indiquaient peu de changement. Cette réduction résultait surtout des licenciements saisonniers. Corrigé des variations saisonnières l'indice synthétique restait inchangé (128.4 en décembre et 128.4 en janvier). Parmi les branches d'activité, les changements relatifs les plus notables ont été une diminution de 3.8 p. 100 dans la construction et des augmentations de 1.2 p. 100 aussi bien dans les transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique que dans le commerce. Parmi les régions, le Québec a enregistré une avance de 1.1 p. 100 et l'Ontario un recul de 0.7 p. 100; la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne, au niveau de l'ensemble, a augmenté de \$6.07, soit de \$116.87 en décembre à \$122.96 en janvier. Toutes les branches d'activité ont contribué à la hausse, les accroissements relatifs les plus notables étant ceux de la construction (\$29.38), de l'industrie manufacturière (\$7.04), et de l'extraction minière (\$6.01). Ces changements s'expliquent surtout du fait du retour à la semaine normale de travail après les semaines écourtées de la saison des fêtes. Des avances ont été enregistrées dans toutes les régions, variant de \$4.86 dans la région des Prairies à \$6.61 en Ontario.

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Section de l'emploi

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
	Jan. 1970a	Dec. 1969r	Feb. 1969	Jan. 1969	Feb. 1970a	Jan. 1970p	Dec. 1969r	Jan. 1970a	Feb. 1970a	Jan. 1970p	Dec. 1969r	Feb. 1969	Jan. 1969	Feb. 1969
	Fév. 1970a	Jan. 1970p	Fév. 1969	Jan. 1969	Fév. 1970a	Jan. 1970p	Dec. 1969r	Fév. 1970a	Jan. 1970p	Dec. 1969r	Fév. 1970a	Jan. 1970p	Dec. 1969r	Jan. 1969
1961=100														
dollars														
<b>Industry division -- Branche d'activité</b>														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ...	81.4	85.5	63.1	65.4	..	89.2	88.4	..	136.94	133.27	133.60	118.24	118.24	118.24
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	112.9	111.9	110.4	109.8	114.8	113.6	114.1	161.87	159.29	153.28	148.07	146.72	146.72	146.72
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	122.6	123.3	122.5	121.8	125.0	125.2	126.1	131.87	129.51	122.47	120.80	119.47	119.47	119.47
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	135.0	136.5	134.6	133.6	137.0	136.4	138.0	142.05	138.85	129.80	130.05	128.17	128.17	128.17
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	112.1	112.6	112.8	112.2	115.3	116.1	116.4	121.90	120.43	115.26	111.87	111.10	111.10	111.10
Construction .....	103.2	102.8	104.8	103.6	120.1	117.3	122.0	160.98	159.47	130.09	148.43	140.40	140.40	140.40
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trade -- Commerce .....	108.5	109.9	108.1	108.0	140.7	139.8	138.2	98.63	97.35	94.97	91.35	90.55	90.55	90.55
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	142.8	141.9	134.9	134.3	143.5	142.0	142.4	116.65	118.04	115.95	111.00	110.87	110.87	110.87
Service -- Services .....	171.6	168.8	160.2	157.8	179.2	177.8	176.1	89.32	88.28	86.45	82.47	82.01	82.01	82.01
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	124.3	124.4	121.9	121.4	128.8	128.4	128.4	126.64	122.96	116.89	115.30	114.04	114.04	114.04
<b>Province and region -- Province et région</b>														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	110.5	111.8	111.7	112.0	119.2	118.8	118.2	104.35	103.45	97.80	98.12	95.42	95.42	95.42
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	109.6	110.3	110.6	110.3	124.3	123.5	119.6	114.85	113.42	107.15	105.51	103.65	103.65	103.65
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard .....	115.8	117.7	126.1	111.6	141.3	136.3	128.6	85.83	83.98	79.77	81.54	80.59	80.59	80.59
New Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse .....	110.7	112.4	115.5	113.4	116.8	116.7	116.9	100.30	99.40	94.14	95.73	91.28	91.28	91.28
Nova Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	110.5	111.4	110.8	111.5	118.1	116.9	117.6	104.20	103.80	98.00	97.71	96.51	96.51	96.51
Québec .....	116.4	116.7	117.9	114.9	121.5	121.4	123.0	120.36	119.17	113.14	112.38	112.03	112.03	112.03
Ontario .....	129.9	129.5	131.8	127.5	133.1	132.1	130.0	129.28	127.04	120.43	118.80	117.93	117.93	117.93
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	123.1	125.5	120.2	118.5	128.2	128.1	127.9	118.51	117.12	112.26	110.24	108.01	108.01	108.01
Manitoba .....	115.1	115.3	117.0	112.4	119.9	119.9	119.6	112.36	111.37	105.86	105.04	103.21	103.21	103.21
Saskatchewan .....	109.6	114.7	114.2	112.2	116.0	116.8	117.6	112.78	111.98	108.99	106.02	103.94	103.94	103.94
Alberta .....	135.5	137.2	129.3	126.4	140.2	140.1	140.1	124.80	122.97	117.99	115.60	113.10	113.10	113.10
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique .....	137.1	137.3	139.6	128.3	143.0	144.3	143.7	136.08	134.83	129.42	125.20	122.11	122.11	122.11
Yukon .....	..	128.9	132.1	125.5	..	152.7	146.1	..	173.76	162.74	160.48	180.89	180.89	180.89
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	115.0	117.0	100.8	..	130.8	137.5	..	176.67	162.67	170.82	166.85	166.85	166.85
Canada .....	124.3	124.4	126.5	121.9	128.8	128.4	128.4	124.64	122.96	116.89	115.30	114.04	114.04	114.04

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L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE  
CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

MARCH 1970

MARS 1970

(Data subject to revision)

(Données sujettes à révision)

The advance estimate of the unadjusted composite index of employment indicates no change in March over February 1970. Construction, manufacturing and mining recorded decreases and the remaining industries shown gains. All regions reported decreases except Quebec and British Columbia where small increases occurred and the Prairie region showed no change.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment indicated a decrease. With the exception of finance, insurance and real estate which increased, all the industry divisions declined. All regions recorded decreases except the Atlantic region which showed no change and Quebec which increased.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level were lower in March than February 1970. Decreases were recorded in construction, manufacturing and services, and increases in the remaining industries shown. All regions reported decreases except British Columbia, where a slight gain was recorded.

FEBRUARY 1970

The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite at 124.1 was 0.2 p.c. lower in February than in January 1970 and 2.3 p.c. higher than in February 1969. Decreases were recorded in forestry, trade, transportation, communication and other utilities and construction and increases in the remaining industries. All regions recorded declines except Ontario where a small increase occurred and British Columbia which showed no change. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment increased 0.2 p.c., from 128.6 in January to 128.8 in February 1970. Increases were recorded in all industries except transportation, communication and other utilities which declined slightly and manufacturing which showed no change. Increases were recorded for Ontario (0.7 p.c.) and Quebec (0.1 p.c.), and the remaining regions showed declines ranging from 0.2 p.c. for the Prairies to 0.8 p.c. for British Columbia. Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose \$1.36 from \$123.08 in January 1970 to \$124.44 in February and increased \$9.14 over the year. All industries showed higher average weekly wages and salaries in February 1970 except finance, insurance and real estate. Forestry increased \$11.36. Increases in the remaining industries ranged from \$0.99 for trade to \$2.00 for transportation, communication and other utilities.

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Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi a été le même en mars qu'en février 1970. On a enregistré des diminutions dans la construction, dans la fabrication et dans l'industrie extractive, les autres branches d'activité étant en progression. Dans toutes les régions, on a constaté un recul, sauf au Québec, où il s'est produit un léger progrès et la Colombie-Britannique qui restait inchangée.

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi corrigé des variations saisonnières a fait ressortir une diminution. A l'exception des finances, des assurances et de l'immobilier, qui étaient en hausse, toutes les branches d'activité étaient en diminution. Dans toutes les régions, on a constaté un recul, sauf dans la région de l'Atlantique, où la situation restait inchangée, et au Québec, où il s'est produit une augmentation.

Au niveau agrégatif, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne s'établissait en mars à un chiffre inférieur à celui de février 1970. Il s'est produit des diminutions dans la construction, dans la fabrication et dans les services, et des augmentations dans les autres branches d'activité considérées. Dans toutes les régions, on a constaté un recul, sauf en Colombie-Britannique, où il s'est produit un léger progrès.

FÉVRIER 1970

En février 1970, l'indice non corrigé de l'emploi pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité était de 124.1, soit inférieur de 0.2 p. 100 à celui de janvier 1970, et supérieur de 2.3 p. 100 à celui de février 1969. Des diminutions se sont produites dans l'exploitation forestière, dans le commerce, les transports, les communications et autres services d'utilité publique, et dans la construction, et les autres branches d'activité faisaient ressortir des augmentations. Dans toutes les régions, on a constaté un recul, sauf en Ontario, où il s'est produit un léger progrès et la Colombie-Britannique qui restait inchangée. Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi a augmenté de 0.2 p. 100, en passant de 128.6 en janvier à 128.8 en février. Des augmentations se sont produites dans toutes les branches d'activité, sauf dans les transports, les communications et autres services d'utilité publique, qui ont légèrement diminué, et la fabrication, qui restait inchangée. On a enregistré des augmentations en Ontario (0.7 p. 100) et au Québec (0.1 p. 100), alors que, pour les autres régions, les diminutions variaient entre 0.2 p. 100 dans les Prairies, et 0.8 p. 100 en Colombie-Britannique. Au niveau agrégatif, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté de \$1.36, en passant de \$123.08 en janvier 1970, à \$124.44 en février, ce qui représente une augmentation de \$9.14 en un an. Dans toutes les branches d'activité, on a constaté des rémunérations hebdomadaires moyennes plus élevées en février 1970, sauf dans les finances, les assurances et l'immobilier. Dans l'exploitation forestière, l'augmentation a été de \$11.36. Dans les autres branches d'activité, les augmentations ont varié entre \$0.99, dans le commerce, et \$2.00 dans les transports, les communications et autres services d'utilité publique.

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TABLE 1. Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

TABLEAU 1. Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
	Mar. 1970a	Jan. 1970c	Mar. 1969	Feb. 1969	Mar. 1970a	Mar. 1970c	Jan. 1970c	Feb. 1970p	Jan. 1970c	Mar. 1970c	Feb. 1970p	Jan. 1970c	Mar. 1969	Feb. 1969
	Mars	Fév.	Mars	Fév.	Mars	Fév.	Mars	Fév.	Janv.	Janv.	Fév.	Janv.	Mars	Fév.
1961=100 dollars														
Industry division -- Branche d'activité														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière	77.6	81.7	61.8	63.1	..	..	93.2	89.5	148.77	137.41	142.81	133.60	133.60	133.60
Mining -- Extraction minière	112.7	112.9	111.5	110.4	113.8	113.5	113.5	113.3	163.82	161.95	148.54	148.07	148.07	148.07
Manufacturing -- Fabrication	122.5	122.6	123.2	123.5	124.5	125.0	125.0	125.0	130.25	130.73	129.28	121.72	120.80	120.80
Durable goods -- Biens durables	135.1	135.2	134.4	135.9	136.0	136.0	136.8	135.8	139.31	140.64	130.60	130.60	130.60	130.60
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	112.3	112.3	112.9	112.8	115.3	115.5	116.3	116.3	121.40	120.44	113.06	111.87	111.87	111.87
Construction	101.5	102.5	102.8	104.8	116.5	118.4	117.3	117.3	151.67	161.86	145.86	148.43	148.43	148.43
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services	108.1	108.8	108.6	108.1	..	..	113.2	113.5	139.09	137.09	129.94	127.73	127.73	127.73
Trade -- Commerce	137.0	136.2	137.3	130.9	140.7	140.9	140.6	140.6	98.76	98.39	97.45	91.80	91.80	91.80
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier	142.9	142.8	136.0	134.9	143.6	143.5	143.2	143.2	117.99	116.84	111.70	111.00	111.00	111.00
Service -- Services	171.5	170.8	161.7	160.2	178.2	178.3	177.9	177.9	89.61	89.86	83.04	82.47	82.47	82.47
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	124.1	124.1	122.6	121.9	128.3	128.8	128.6	128.6	123.71	124.44	116.11	115.30	115.30	115.30
Province and region -- Province et région														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	109.8	109.9	111.5	111.7	118.6	118.6	119.1	119.1	104.44	104.77	98.00	98.12	98.12	98.12
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	110.5	109.5	111.3	110.6	124.8	124.2	124.6	124.6	117.18	117.14	105.88	105.51	105.51	105.51
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	113.0	113.3	106.9	108.7	137.2	138.3	136.2	136.2	85.00	85.14	84.94	81.54	81.54	81.54
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	110.6	110.7	112.5	113.2	116.0	116.8	116.8	116.8	100.39	100.13	99.51	95.09	95.09	95.09
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	108.1	108.9	111.5	110.8	116.1	116.4	117.0	117.0	102.80	104.21	103.52	97.71	97.71	97.71
Quebec	116.4	116.1	116.4	115.5	121.8	121.2	121.1	121.1	119.71	119.96	119.33	113.26	113.26	113.26
Ontario	129.6	129.8	129.6	127.5	132.8	133.1	132.0	132.0	127.67	129.00	127.14	119.55	119.55	119.55
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	122.5	122.5	121.0	120.2	127.4	127.8	128.0	128.0	118.23	118.73	117.35	110.24	110.24	110.24
Manitoba	114.9	114.8	112.9	112.4	119.6	119.6	119.6	119.6	112.88	112.75	111.35	105.04	105.04	105.04
Saskatchewan	107.9	107.8	105.0	113.7	114.2	114.5	116.8	116.8	112.87	113.00	111.96	106.81	106.81	106.81
Alberta	134.9	135.1	130.9	129.3	139.2	139.8	140.1	140.1	123.85	124.91	116.17	115.60	115.60	115.60
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	137.4	137.2	131.6	128.3	141.5	143.1	144.3	144.3	135.87	135.73	134.82	125.20	125.20	125.20
Yukon	..	132.7	131.2	134.1	..	151.9	155.5	155.5	..	164.50	167.92	182.46	182.46	182.46
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	..	116.4	116.4	100.8	..	130.6	132.3	132.3	..	177.59	175.23	174.83	174.83	174.83
Canada	124.1	124.1	122.6	121.9	128.3	128.8	128.6	128.6	123.71	124.44	116.11	115.30	115.30	115.30

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

APRIL 1970

(Data subject to revision)

Advance estimates indicate a slight upward change in the unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) from March to April 1970. Compared to April 1969, the estimates show an increase.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment showed a small drop over the month. All industry divisions shown recorded declines except mining which increased. All regions reported decreases except the Atlantic and Prairie regions where increases occurred.

Average Weekly Wages and salaries at the composite level were higher in April than March 1970. Increases were recorded in all industry divisions except mining where a decrease occurred. All regions recorded increases in average weekly wages and salaries.

MARCH 1970

The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite at 124.3 was unchanged from February 1970 but was 1.4 p.c. higher than in March 1969. All regions recorded decrease over the month except British Columbia and the Atlantic region where increases occurred. All regions reported increases over the year except the Atlantic region which showed a decrease.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment decreased 0.2 p.c. from 129.0 in February to 128.7 in March 1970. Decreases were recorded in all industries except forestry and services which increased and transportation, communication and other utilities which showed no change. Decreases ranged from 0.1 p.c. for finance, insurance and real estate to 1.9 p.c. for construction. Decreases were recorded for British Columbia (1.0 p.c.), the Prairie region (0.5 p.c.) and Ontario (0.2 p.c.). The remaining regions showed increases.

### AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level decreased \$0.41 from \$124.14 in February to \$123.73 in March 1970 and increased \$7.30 over the year. All industry divisions showed lower average weekly wages and salaries in March over February 1970 except mining, finance, insurance and real estate, trade and transportation, communications and other utilities. Decreases ranged from \$0.09 for manufacturing to \$9.25 for construction. All regions recorded decreases except British Columbia which showed a gain of \$0.45.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

AVRIL 1970

(données sujettes à révision)

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) a légèrement crû entre mars et avril 1970. Ce même indice serait plus élevé qu'en avril 1969.

Après correction des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi a légèrement fléchi pendant le mois. Il a connu une baisse dans toutes les branches d'activité sauf l'exploitation minière où il a augmenté. La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté dans toutes les régions à l'exception des Prairies et des Maritimes.

Au niveau agrégatif, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne s'établissait en avril à un chiffre supérieur à celui de mars 1970. On a constaté une hausse dans toutes les branches d'activité, sauf dans l'industrie extractive où une baisse s'est produite. Toutes les régions ont accusé une hausse de la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne.

MARS 1970

L'indice synthétique non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi est resté le même qu'en février 1970, soit 124.3; il était cependant de 1.4 p. 100 plus élevé qu'en mars 1969. Pendant le mois, toutes les régions ont accusé une diminution sauf la Colombie-Britannique et les Maritimes où il y a eu augmentation. Pendant la dernière année, toutes les régions ont connu une augmentation sauf les Maritimes où il y a eu diminution.

Après correction des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi est passé de 129.0 en février à 128.7 en mars, soit une diminution de 0.2 p. 100. Il y a eu baisse dans toutes les industries sauf l'exploitation forestière et les services qui ont connu une hausse; l'indice est demeuré stationnaire dans les transports, les communications et les services publics. Les diminutions oscillaient entre 0.1 p. 100 (finances, assurances, immeuble) et 1.9 p. 100 (construction). On a enregistré une diminution en Colombie-Britannique (1.0 p. 100), dans les Prairies (0.5 p. 100) et en Ontario (0.2 p. 100). Il y a eu augmentation dans toutes les autres régions.

### RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne est passée de \$124.14 à \$123.73 entre février et mars 1970, soit une diminution de \$0.41. Elle a cependant augmenté \$7.30 en un an. Elle a diminué dans toutes les branches d'activité sauf l'exploitation minière, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble, le commerce, les transports, les communications et les services publics. Les diminutions ont oscillé entre \$0.09 (industrie manufacturière) et \$9.25 (construction). Toutes les régions enregistrent une baisse sauf la Colombie-Britannique où l'augmentation a été de \$0.45.

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TABLE 1. Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, April 1970

TABLEAU 1. Nombres-Indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires, Avril 1970

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-Indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières									
	April 1970a	March 1970P	Feb. 1970	April 1969	March 1969	April 1970a	March 1970P	Feb. 1970	April 1970	March 1970P	April 1970a	March 1970P	Feb. 1970	April 1969	March 1969
	Avril	Mars	Fév.	Avril	Mars	Avril	Mars	Fév.	Avril	Mars	Avril	Mars	Fév.	Avril	Mars
1961=100															
dollars															
Industry division -- Branche d'activité															
Forestry -- Industrie forestière	113.2	112.8	113.1	108.8	111.5	117.2	113.8	116.7	102.1	93.8	163.75	165.30	162.34	136.80	142.81
Mining -- Extraction minière	122.3	122.7	123.6	123.6	123.2	124.2	124.8	125.1	131.3	130.08	131.3	130.08	130.17	121.84	121.72
Manufacturing -- Fabrication	134.3	135.1	135.1	136.5	135.9	136.0	136.2	136.6	141.03	139.15	141.03	139.15	139.38	130.65	130.60
Durable goods -- Biens durables	112.6	112.6	112.5	113.2	112.9	115.3	115.6	115.8	121.95	121.26	121.95	121.26	121.20	113.24	113.06
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	103.9	101.9	102.9	111.3	104.7	112.5	116.6	118.8	161.11	152.84	161.11	152.84	162.09	147.49	145.86
Construction	108.6	108.3	108.3	108.9	108.6	113.3	113.4	113.4	113.3	113.4	113.3	113.4	113.4	129.76	129.94
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services	137.1	136.9	136.8	133.2	132.4	139.3	140.6	141.5	99.67	98.56	99.67	98.56	98.07	92.68	91.80
Trade -- Commerce	141.7	142.7	142.9	136.1	136.0	142.8	143.4	143.6	120.33	117.87	120.33	117.87	116.80	113.58	111.70
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier	173.5	171.9	170.4	163.4	161.7	177.9	178.6	177.9	90.51	89.24	90.51	89.24	89.85	83.16	83.04
Service -- Services	124.5	124.3	124.3	123.4	122.6	128.2	128.7	129.0	124.71	123.73	124.71	123.73	124.14	116.43	116.11
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	112.3	110.6	110.4	112.1	111.5	122.0	119.5	119.1	105.50	104.55	105.50	104.55	104.64	96.54	98.00
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	112.8	111.9	109.8	111.0	110.7	127.1	126.4	124.6	117.83	117.22	117.83	117.22	116.68	103.47	105.88
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	113.9	113.4	112.7	113.4	106.9	138.3	137.7	137.6	84.39	85.08	84.39	85.08	85.35	82.70	84.29
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	112.7	110.3	109.9	114.2	112.9	117.4	115.6	116.0	102.04	100.66	102.04	100.66	100.87	94.37	95.09
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	111.4	109.7	111.1	110.2	110.7	123.8	117.8	118.8	103.54	102.65	103.54	102.65	103.15	95.99	97.62
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	116.3	116.7	116.4	116.1	115.5	119.9	122.1	121.5	120.59	119.49	120.59	119.49	119.89	113.52	113.26
Quebec	129.7	129.5	129.7	129.1	128.1	131.8	132.7	133.0	128.73	127.75	128.73	127.75	128.34	120.27	119.55
Ontario	122.6	122.4	122.6	121.1	121.0	127.7	127.3	127.9	119.46	118.35	119.46	118.35	118.94	110.94	111.20
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	115.3	115.0	115.0	112.7	112.9	127.8	119.7	119.8	113.73	112.96	113.73	112.96	112.88	106.87	106.54
Manitoba	108.2	108.1	108.0	115.5	113.7	112.6	114.7	115.8	114.36	113.00	114.36	113.00	113.03	106.47	106.81
Saskatchewan	134.6	134.5	134.9	130.5	130.9	141.1	138.8	139.5	125.28	123.99	125.28	123.99	125.23	115.55	116.17
Alberta	138.9	138.4	138.0	132.6	131.6	142.2	142.6	144.0	136.60	136.03	136.60	136.03	135.58	126.95	126.23
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	..	142.2	138.5	137.3	133.2	..	162.1	158.5	..	168.03	..	168.03	170.48	170.75	182.46
Yukon	..	115.3	114.9	108.3	102.3	..	127.4	128.9	..	179.96	..	179.96	174.75	165.16	174.83
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	124.5	124.3	124.3	123.4	122.6	128.2	128.7	129.0	124.71	123.73	124.71	123.73	124.14	116.43	116.11
Canada	112.3	110.6	110.4	112.1	111.5	122.0	119.5	119.1	105.50	104.55	105.50	104.55	104.64	96.54	98.00

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

MAY 1970

The advance estimate of the unadjusted composite index of employment indicates an increase in May over April 1970. All industries shown experienced gains except manufacturing which recorded a slight decline.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment indicates a drop in May over the level in April 1970. With the exception of finance, insurance and real estate, all industry divisions for which data are given in Table A, declined.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level were higher in May compared to April 1970. Increases were recorded in manufacturing, construction, trade and service, and decreases in the remaining industries shown.

For May 1970, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

APRIL 1970

The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite at 124.5 (1961=100) was 0.2 per cent higher in April than in March 1970 and 0.9 per cent higher than in April 1969. Increases were recorded in construction; transportation, communication and other utilities; service and trade; and decreases in the remaining industries. The regional change in employment varied from a decline of 0.6 per cent in the Prairies to an increase of 1.8 per cent in the Atlantic region.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment at 127.9 dropped 0.5 per cent in April from 128.6 in March 1970. The industry divisions that registered increases were mining, (1.9 per cent) finance insurance and real estate (0.1 per cent) and service (0.1 per cent). The remaining industry divisions recorded decreases ranging from 0.4 per cent in manufacturing to 2.0 per cent in construction. The employment index for Atlantic region climbed by 2.4 per cent in April from its level a month ago. For the other regions it was a negative change from March to April.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose \$1.67 from \$123.79 in March to \$125.46 in April 1970. Over the year, the average weekly wages and salaries increased by \$9.03 from the April 1969 level of \$116.43. Among the industry divisions, change in April over the preceding month was increases in construction (\$10.48); forestry (\$3.96); finance, insurance and real estate (\$1.55); manufacturing (\$1.37); transportation, communication and other utilities (\$1.25) and service (\$1.01) and a decrease in mining (\$2.72). All regions shared in the increases in average weekly wages and salaries over the previous month.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

MAI 1970

La première estimation de l'indice de l'emploi, non corrigé des variations saisonnières, révèle une augmentation en mai par rapport à avril. L'augmentation s'est étendue à toutes les branches d'activité, sauf à l'industrie manufacturière, qui a enregistré une légère diminution.

Après correction des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi se révèle moins élevé en mai qu'en avril 1970. À l'exception des finances, des assurances et de l'immeuble, toutes les branches d'activité pour lesquelles des statistiques figurent au tableau A ont enregistré des diminutions.

La moyenne agrégative de la rémunération hebdomadaire a été plus élevée en mai qu'en avril. Elle a augmenté dans l'industrie manufacturière, la construction, le commerce et les services, et diminué dans les autres branches d'activité indiquées.

Pour mai 1970, aucune statistique plus détaillée par branche d'activité et par région que celle qui figure au tableau A n'est encore connue.

AVRIL 1970

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi dans l'industrie, non corrigé des variations saisonnières, avec 124.5 (1961=100), dépassait de 0.2 p. 100 celui de mars et de 0.9 p. 100 celui d'avril 1969. Les branches d'activité où l'on a enregistré des augmentations sont la construction, les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique, les services et le commerce, les autres branches étant en diminution. Les variations régionales de l'emploi se sont échelonnées de - 0.6 p. 100 dans les Prairies et de + 1.8 p. 100 dans la région de l'Atlantique.

Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi, est tombé à 127.9 en avril, soit de 0.5 p. 100 par rapport à mars (128.6). Le nombre d'employés a augmenté dans l'extraction minière (1.9 p. 100), dans les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble (0.1 p. 100) et dans les services (0.1 p. 100). Les autres branches d'activité ont connu des diminutions variant entre 0.4 p. 100 dans l'industrie manufacturière et 2.0 p. 100 dans la construction. De mars à avril, l'indice de l'emploi a progressé de 2.4 p. 100 dans la région de l'Atlantique. Dans les autres régions, ce même indice était en régression.

En avril 1970, la moyenne agrégative de rémunération hebdomadaire a augmenté de \$1.67 pour atteindre \$125.46 contre \$123.79 en mars. En un an, cette moyenne a atteint un niveau supérieur de \$9.03 à celui d'avril 1969 (\$116.43). De mars à avril, les variations de la rémunération parmi les branches d'activité se sont traduites par des augmentations dans la construction (\$10.48), dans l'exploitation forestière (\$3.96), dans les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble (\$1.55), dans l'industrie manufacturière (\$1.37), dans les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique (\$1.25), ainsi que dans les services (\$1.01), et par une diminution dans l'extraction minière (\$2.72). La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été plus élevée en avril qu'en mars dans toutes les régions.

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TABLE A. Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

TABLEAU A. Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division -- Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers -- Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries -- Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted -- Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted -- Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
	May 1970 <sup>a</sup>	April 1970 <sup>a</sup>	March 1970	May 1969	April 1969	May 1970 <sup>a</sup>	April 1970 <sup>a</sup>	March 1970	May 1969	April 1969	May 1970 <sup>a</sup>	April 1970 <sup>a</sup>	March 1970	May 1969
	Mai	Avril	Mars	Mai	Avril	Mai	Avril	Mars	Mai	Avril	Mai	Avril	Mars	Avril
1961=100														
dollars														
Industry division -- Branche d'activité														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	57.7	68.3	86.8	58.1	..	96.4	97.5	..	148.83	144.87	129.61	136.80	136.80
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	115.6	112.1	113.2	107.6	108.8	113.5	116.4	114.2	162.69	163.04	165.76	147.10	147.02	147.02
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	122.0	122.3	122.7	126.2	123.6	121.7	124.1	124.7	132.70	131.45	130.08	122.58	121.84	121.84
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	132.8	134.0	135.2	138.8	136.5	132.0	134.9	136.1	141.96	140.94	139.21	131.81	130.65	130.65
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	113.3	112.7	112.5	116.0	113.2	113.5	115.4	115.5	123.92	122.31	121.20	113.64	113.24	113.24
Construction .....	113.4	105.5	102.4	114.4	111.3	112.2	114.3	117.6	166.36	163.38	152.90	149.54	147.49	147.49
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	..	109.7	108.1	114.1	108.9	..	112.0	112.8	..	140.40	139.15	130.78	129.76	129.76
Trade -- Commerce .....	137.5	137.3	137.2	134.7	133.2	138.5	139.5	141.0	100.20	99.97	98.79	93.59	92.68	92.68
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier ..	143.6	142.6	142.8	138.0	136.1	143.9	143.7	143.5	118.68	119.41	117.86	113.62	113.58	113.58
Service -- Services .....	178.7	174.3	171.9	171.3	163.4	177.2	178.7	178.6	90.51	90.39	89.38	83.59	83.16	83.16
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	126.4	124.5	124.2	127.0	123.4	126.6	127.9	128.6	126.78	125.46	123.79	117.26	116.43	116.43
Province and region -- Province et région														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	115.5	111.7	109.7	117.7	112.1	117.3	121.4	118.5	106.78	106.56	104.82	96.10	96.54	96.54
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	117.4	113.3	111.9	116.6	111.0	121.7	127.6	126.4	116.52	116.09	117.42	104.54	103.47	103.47
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	124.0	115.3	113.1	129.0	113.4	118.7	130.9	137.3	85.27	85.48	83.59	80.86	82.70	82.70
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ....	112.9	111.1	108.7	116.8	114.2	114.3	115.7	114.0	105.39	105.05	101.23	94.70	94.37	94.37
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	115.4	110.9	109.2	118.4	110.2	118.0	120.7	117.3	104.04	104.03	102.71	93.86	93.59	93.59
Québec .....	118.6	116.5	117.0	119.8	116.1	118.3	120.7	121.8	122.34	121.14	119.31	113.52	113.52	113.52
Ontario .....	131.6	130.0	129.5	131.5	129.1	132.1	132.1	132.7	131.28	129.68	127.89	121.25	120.27	120.27
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	124.5	122.2	123.0	126.1	121.1	126.7	127.2	127.9	121.55	119.70	118.40	111.45	110.94	110.94
Manitoba .....	117.1	115.4	118.0	117.5	112.7	117.0	118.9	120.4	115.79	114.46	113.02	107.31	106.87	106.87
Saskatchewan .....	111.3	108.4	108.6	119.9	115.5	110.6	115.2	115.2	115.32	113.84	112.82	107.31	106.87	106.87
Alberta .....	136.5	133.6	135.0	135.5	130.5	137.2	140.1	139.3	127.78	125.47	124.13	115.98	115.55	115.55
British Columbia -- Colombie-	138.3	137.9	138.0	137.6	132.6	138.5	141.2	142.2	138.00	137.39	136.14	127.89	126.95	126.95
Yukon .....	..	151.3	142.2	140.7	137.3	..	166.0	162.1	..	174.56	168.03	177.79	170.75	170.75
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	117.0	115.4	120.8	108.3	..	122.9	127.6	..	176.49	179.91	162.99	165.16	165.16
Canada .....	126.4	124.5	124.2	127.0	123.4	126.6	127.9	128.6	126.78	125.46	123.79	117.26	116.43	116.43

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JUIN 1970

The advance estimate of unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) indicates an increase in June over May 1970. Compared to June 1969 index the estimate represents a small drop in employment.

Seasonally-adjusted, the June composite index of employment shows a small increase over the preceding month. Among the industry divisions for which data are given in Table A, manufacturing, construction, and finance, insurance and real estate recorded increases. Regionally, Quebec and British Columbia reported increases and the remaining regions, decreases.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level were higher in June than in May 1970. Increases were recorded in all industry divisions except mining and construction which declined. All regions reported increases except Quebec, where a decrease was recorded.

MAY 1970

Employment

The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite at 126.5 (1961=100) was 1.6 per cent higher in May than in April 1970 and 0.4 per cent below the May 1969 level of 127.0. Over the month, all industry divisions recorded increases ranging from 0.5 per cent in finance, insurance and real estate to 21.8 per cent in forestry. Among the regions, only British Columbia reported a drop (2.1 per cent) whereas the remaining regions recorded advances in employment, the largest being 5.1 per cent in the Atlantic region.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment at 126.3 was 1.2 per cent below April 1970 level. All industry divisions recorded decreases. All regions showed declines, smallest being 0.2 per cent in Ontario and the largest 4.2 per cent in British Columbia.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose from \$125.53 in April to \$126.12 in May 1970. Compared to May 1969, the average weekly wages and salaries increased by \$8.86. Among the industry divisions, changes in May over the preceding month were increases in manufacturing; construction; transportation, communication and other utilities and trade and decreases in forestry; mining; service and finance, insurance and real estate. Regionally, average weekly wages and salaries rose in Ontario, the Prairie Region and Quebec. There were declines in the Atlantic Region and in British Columbia.

Labour Division  
Employment Section

Selon les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) a monté en juin par rapport à mai 1970. Par comparaison à l'indice de juin 1969, les estimations représentent une légère baisse de l'emploi.

Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi indique en juin une légère augmentation sur le mois précédent. Parmi les branches d'activité dont les données figurent au tableau A, l'industrie manufacturière, la construction et les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble ont enregistré des augmentations. Sur le plan régional, le Québec et la Colombie-Britannique ont enregistré des augmentations et les autres régions, des diminutions.

Dans l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne était plus élevée en juin qu'en mai. On a signalé des augmentations dans toutes les branches d'activité, sauf dans l'extraction minière et la construction, où il y a eu baisse. Toutes les régions ont connu des augmentations, sauf le Québec, où l'on a enregistré une diminution.

MAY 1970

Emploi

À 126.5 (1961=100) l'indice non corrigé dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité en mai était de 1.6 p. 100 plus élevé qu'en avril, et de 0.4 p. 100 moins élevé qu'en mai 1969 (127.0). Au cours du mois, toutes les branches d'activité ont enregistré des augmentations se situant entre 0.5 p. 100 (finances, assurance et immeuble) et 21.8 p. 100 (industrie forestière). Sur le plan régional, seule la Colombie-Britannique a connu une baisse (2.1 p. 100), tandis que les autres régions ont enregistré des progressions, la plus notable étant de 5.1 p. 100 dans la région Atlantique.

Corrigé des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (126.3) est de 1.2 p. 100 inférieur à celui d'avril 1970. Toutes les branches d'activité ont subi des baisses. Toutes les régions ont enregistré des baisses, la plus petite étant de 0.2 p. 100 en Ontario et la plus considérable de 4.2 p. 100 en Colombie-Britannique.

Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité est passée de \$125.53 en avril à \$126.12 en mai 1970. Par rapport à mai 1969, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a monté de \$8.86. Au niveau des branches d'activité, les changements par rapport au mois précédent sont des accroissements dans l'industrie manufacturière, dans la construction, dans les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique, et dans le commerce, et des baisses dans l'industrie forestière, dans l'extraction minière, dans les services et dans les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble. La rémunération hebdomadaire a augmenté en Ontario, dans la région des Prairies et au Québec. On a enregistré une diminution dans la région Atlantique et en Colombie-Britannique.

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi												Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières						Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières										
	1961=100																
	June 1970 <sup>a</sup>	May 1970 <sup>a</sup>	April 1970	June 1969	May 1969	June 1970 <sup>a</sup>	June 1970 <sup>a</sup>	May 1970 <sup>a</sup>	April 1970	June 1970 <sup>a</sup>	May 1970 <sup>a</sup>	April 1970	June 1970 <sup>a</sup>	May 1970 <sup>a</sup>	April 1970	June 1969	May 1969
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	71.1	58.4	107.3	86.8	..	..	79.2	97.6	129.61	130.08	146.77	127.07	129.61	130.08	146.77	127.07	129.61
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	118.3	116.3	111.7	107.6	123.2	122.7	116.4	116.6	147.10	160.27	162.16	163.31	147.10	160.27	162.16	163.31	147.10
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	123.2	122.6	128.9	126.2	135.0	134.0	121.9	124.1	122.58	133.20	132.54	131.43	122.58	133.20	132.54	131.43	122.58
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	135.0	135.1	141.1	138.8	117.3	114.0	112.6	119.0	116.0	143.38	142.38	140.95	131.81	143.38	142.38	140.95	131.81
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	117.3	114.0	112.6	104.7	126.4	121.6	114.4	117.5	113.7	123.71	123.23	122.25	113.86	123.71	123.23	122.25	113.86
Construction .....	126.4	112.6	104.7	121.6	114.4	117.5	111.1	113.7	147.80	158.56	165.20	164.13	147.80	158.56	165.20	164.13	147.80
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services .....	..	112.2	109.7	115.2	114.1	..	111.7	112.1	130.78	141.90	140.94	131.18	130.78	141.90	140.94	131.18	130.78
Trade -- Commerce .....	139.1	138.3	137.4	136.6	134.7	138.7	139.5	139.7	93.59	101.68	100.06	99.94	93.59	101.68	100.06	99.94	93.59
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier .....	144.5	143.4	142.7	139.7	138.0	143.8	143.7	143.8	114.62	122.15	119.35	119.42	115.98	122.15	119.35	119.42	115.98
Service -- Services .....	183.2	179.9	174.5	171.3	129.9	126.5	124.5	130.2	83.59	90.50	89.89	90.32	83.59	90.50	89.89	90.32	83.59
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	129.9	126.5	124.5	130.2	127.0	126.7	126.3	127.9	117.26	126.61	126.12	125.53	117.61	126.61	126.12	125.53	117.26
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	121.5	116.5	110.9	124.0	117.7	115.9	118.3	120.5	96.10	106.02	105.32	106.64	96.57	106.02	105.32	106.64	96.10
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	127.4	118.2	111.1	122.3	116.6	117.9	122.5	125.2	104.54	116.15	114.92	116.56	104.82	116.15	114.92	116.56	104.54
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard .....	136.3	130.1	115.3	142.7	129.0	126.8	124.6	130.9	80.86	83.73	83.32	85.48	78.69	83.73	83.32	85.48	80.86
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse .....	116.2	114.0	110.7	122.7	116.8	112.9	114.4	115.3	94.70	104.47	104.30	105.00	95.05	104.47	104.30	105.00	95.05
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick .....	122.8	117.2	110.5	124.9	118.4	116.8	119.8	122.8	93.86	103.19	102.42	104.14	94.97	103.19	102.42	104.14	94.97
Quebec .....	123.7	119.0	116.7	122.8	119.8	120.4	118.7	120.3	114.70	120.80	121.74	120.93	114.70	120.80	121.74	120.93	114.70
Ontario .....	133.9	131.9	129.9	134.4	131.5	131.4	131.7	132.0	121.25	132.43	131.26	129.92	121.58	132.43	131.26	129.92	121.25
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies .....	128.6	125.2	122.3	129.7	126.1	124.8	125.3	127.3	111.45	121.58	120.75	119.88	113.33	121.58	120.75	119.88	111.45
Manitoba .....	120.3	117.4	115.4	120.6	118.0	117.3	118.9	118.9	107.31	116.21	115.46	114.28	108.87	116.21	115.46	114.28	108.87
Saskatchewan .....	116.1	112.0	108.2	122.0	119.9	111.9	111.3	112.6	113.98	114.30	114.74	113.90	108.36	114.30	114.74	113.90	108.36
Alberta .....	140.7	137.3	133.8	160.5	135.5	136.3	138.0	140.3	115.98	127.91	126.57	125.93	118.35	127.91	126.57	125.93	115.98
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique .....	139.5	135.1	138.0	160.1	137.6	136.0	135.3	161.3	127.89	137.20	135.66	137.34	129.31	137.20	135.66	137.34	127.89
Yukon .....	..	161.6	151.3	143.6	140.7	..	152.1	166.0	177.79	..	179.99	176.56	179.17	..	179.99	176.56	177.79
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	127.5	116.5	126.6	120.8	..	123.2	122.4	162.99	..	171.69	175.97	167.13	..	171.69	175.97	167.13
Canada .....	129.9	126.5	124.5	130.2	127.0	126.7	126.3	127.9	117.61	126.61	126.12	125.53	117.61	126.61	126.12	125.53	117.61

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

JULY 1970

The July 1970 advance estimate of the unadjusted composite index of employment indicates a decline from June as well as from July 1969. With the exception of Quebec and Ontario which showed declines, all regions showed higher levels of employment.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment decreased from June to July 1970. With the exception of mining which showed an increase, all industry divisions recorded declines. All regions showed decreases except Ontario, which remained unchanged.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level were lower in July compared to June 1970. With the exception of the Prairie Region, where a slight rise occurred, all regions recorded declines.

For July 1970, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

JUNE 1970

The unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) increased by 2.3 p.c. from 126.7 in May to 129.6 in June and was 0.5 p.c. lower than the June 1969 level of 130.2. Over the month, all industry divisions contributed to the rise with the largest increase in forestry (29.5 p.c.). All regions recorded gains ranging from 1.4 p.c. in Ontario to 4.4 p.c. in the Atlantic Region.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index showed little change from 126.7 in May to 126.4 in June. Among the industry divisions, the largest change was a 1.8 p.c. increase in forestry. Small decreases were recorded in mining, transportation, communication and other utilities, in trade, and in service. Slight increases occurred in the remaining industries. With the exception of Quebec, which showed a slight gain, all regions recorded declines.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level rose to \$127.17 in June from \$126.07 recorded in May 1970. From June 1969, the increase over-the-year was \$9.56 (8.1 per cent). Most industry divisions showed higher levels than in May 1970.

Small declines occurred in forestry and mining. All regions experienced increases from the May 1970 level of average weekly wages and salaries which ranged from 0.5 per cent in Quebec to 1.2 per cent in British Columbia.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

JUILLET 1970

D'après les estimations provisoires, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi, non-corrigé des variations saisonnières, a diminué en juillet 1970 par rapport à juin et à juillet 1969. A l'exception du Québec et de l'Ontario, où il y a eu diminution, toutes les régions ont connu des augmentations du niveau de l'emploi.

L'indice synthétique de l'emploi, correction faite des variations saisonnières, a diminué entre juin et juillet 1970. Tous les secteurs d'activité, sauf l'extraction minière qui a connu une augmentation, ont enregistré des diminutions. Il y a eu diminution dans toutes les régions, sauf en Ontario où le niveau est demeuré le même.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a diminué de juin à juillet 1970. A l'exception des Prairies, qui ont connu une légère augmentation, toutes les régions ont enregistré des diminutions.

Relativement à juillet 1970, les seules statistiques réparties par secteur d'activité et par région qui soient disponibles à l'heure actuelle sont celles qui figurent dans le tableau A.

JUIN 1970

L'indice synthétique non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi (1961=100) s'est accru de 2.3 p. 100 entre mai et juin, passant de 126.7 à 129.6; il était de 0.5 p. 100 inférieur à celui de juin 1969 (130.2). Il y a eu augmentation dans tous les secteurs d'activité, la plus importante (29.5 p. 100) ayant eu lieu dans l'exploitation forestière. Toutes les régions ont enregistré des avances s'échelonnant entre 1.4 p. 100 (Ontario) et 4.4 p. 100 (provinces de l'Atlantique).

L'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé a à peine varié, passant de 126.7 en mai à 126.4 en juin. Si l'on considère les secteurs d'activité, la variation la plus importante (+ 1.8 p. 100) s'est produite dans l'exploitation forestière. De petites diminutions ont été enregistrées dans l'extraction minière, les transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique, le commerce et les services. De légères augmentations ont eu lieu dans les autres secteurs. A l'exception du Québec, où il y a eu une légère avance, toutes les régions ont enregistré des reculs.

Au niveau de l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne était de \$127.17 en juin 1970 contre \$126.07 en mai. Par rapport à juin 1969, il y a eu augmentation de \$9.56 (8.1 p. 100). Dans la plupart des secteurs d'activité, les niveaux ont été plus élevés qu'en mai 1970.

De faibles diminutions ont survenues dans l'exploitation forestière et l'extraction minière. Par rapport à mai 1970, toutes les régions ont connu des augmentations se situant entre 0.5 p. 100 (Québec) et 1.2 p. 100 (Colombie-Britannique).

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	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières						Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières									
	July 1970a	June 1970P	May 1970	July 1969	June 1969	July 1970a	July 1970P	June 1970P	May 1970	June 1970P	May 1970	July 1970a	June 1970P	May 1970	July 1969	June 1969
	juillet	juin	mai	juillet	juin	juillet	juin	juin	mai	juillet	juin	juillet	juin	mai	juillet	juin
	1961=100												dollars			
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	96.4	74.4	111.8	107.3	..	84.4	82.9	..	123.95	124.49	131.06	127.07			
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	121.9	119.3	115.9	105.5	111.7	117.0	115.5	116.0	158.84	161.32	162.35	146.06	145.62			
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	122.9	125.3	122.8	125.3	128.9	122.4	122.6	122.6	132.17	133.40	132.39	122.18	122.63			
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	130.4	135.0	133.2	134.1	141.1	132.5	132.2	132.3	141.89	143.97	142.27	131.14	131.75			
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	116.9	117.5	114.4	118.2	119.0	114.0	114.9	114.7	123.37	123.56	123.07	113.93	113.86			
Construction .....	121.0	119.8	112.4	131.1	121.6	107.8	111.4	110.9	167.33	167.15	166.38	153.31	147.80			
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	114.3	112.4	115.6	115.2	136.6	137.0	138.7	139.7	102.24	102.07	100.11	95.58	95.00			
Trade -- Commerce .....	135.6	139.1	138.4	133.4	136.6	144.0	144.2	143.9	120.14	120.24	119.60	115.02	115.98			
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier ..	145.0	144.9	143.6	141.0	139.7	174.4	176.8	177.8	91.88	90.52	89.68	84.38	84.22			
Service -- Services .....	183.2	183.8	179.3	181.8	178.5	125.3	126.4	126.7	126.80	127.17	126.07	118.21	117.61			
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	128.4	129.6	126.7	129.1	130.2	115.3	117.2	119.5	105.88	106.08	105.00	97.17	96.37			
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	123.7	122.9	117.7	126.4	124.0	115.3	117.2	119.5	105.88	106.08	105.00	97.17	96.37			
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	127.0	128.6	118.6	128.1	122.3	113.5	119.0	123.0	117.25	116.92	115.75	103.40	104.82			
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard .....	146.3	138.8	132.3	149.3	142.7	129.9	129.1	124.7	81.12	83.05	82.39	82.71	78.49			
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse .....	117.8	116.4	114.2	123.3	122.7	113.4	113.1	114.6	103.92	104.77	104.04	95.92	93.03			
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	126.5	125.5	119.9	127.0	124.9	117.2	119.4	122.6	103.27	102.63	101.46	96.09	94.97			
Québec .....	120.5	122.2	119.0	123.0	122.8	117.3	116.9	118.7	121.97	122.32	121.71	115.20	114.10			
Ontario .....	131.9	133.9	130.4	130.4	134.4	131.4	131.4	131.8	132.09	132.70	131.24	122.23	121.58			
Prarie region -- Région des Prairies	129.0	128.8	125.7	131.6	129.7	123.0	125.0	125.8	122.07	121.64	120.71	114.32	113.33			
Saskatchewan .....	119.0	120.2	117.6	121.8	120.6	114.4	117.2	117.5	116.98	116.63	115.32	110.06	108.87			
Alberta .....	118.2	116.4	112.5	122.6	122.0	111.8	114.3	111.8	114.13	114.54	114.60	108.42	108.36			
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique .....	142.0	141.1	138.0	143.6	140.5	135.2	136.7	138.7	128.37	127.63	126.63	119.45	118.35			
Yukon .....	140.7	139.2	134.8	140.8	140.1	134.4	135.7	135.0	136.96	137.37	135.79	131.29	129.31			
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	166.6	161.6	142.8	143.6	..	146.4	152.1	..	177.50	179.99	178.23	179.17			
Canada .....	..	139.5	128.1	135.8	126.6	..	127.2	123.8	..	171.94	171.28	163.34	167.13			
	128.4	129.6	126.7	129.1	130.2	125.3	126.4	126.7	126.80	127.17	126.07	118.21	117.61			

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AUGUST 1970

The advance estimate of unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) indicates an increase in August over July 1970. Compared to the August 1969 index, the estimate was slightly lower. All industry divisions registered increases over the month, except mining, and finance, insurance and real estate which declined.

Seasonally-adjusted, the August composite index of employment showed no change from the preceding month. All industry divisions reported declines except construction and trade which showed increases. Regionally, employment increased in all regions except the Atlantic region which showed a drop.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level were higher in August compared to July 1970. Increases were recorded in all industry divisions except trade and service, which registered declines.

For August 1970, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

## JULY 1970

**Employment** - The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite at 128.4 in July (1961=100) was down 1.0 per cent from the June 1970 level. Over the month, manufacturing, trade and service recorded declines. All other industry divisions showed increases. Among the regions, Quebec and Ontario registered declines of 1.5 per cent and 1.8 per cent respectively while the three other regions showed small gains. Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment at 125.6 fell 0.7 per cent from the June 1970 level of 126.5. All industry divisions contributed to this decline except mining which recorded an increase of 1.0 per cent. All regions showed declines.

**Average weekly wages and salaries** - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries in July 1970 were \$127.01 - a small decline from the June 1970 level of \$127.17. As compared to July 1969, average weekly wages and salaries rose by \$8.80 (7.4 per cent). Among the industry divisions, construction, trade, finance, insurance and real estate and service registered gains. Forestry, mining, manufacturing and transportation, communication and other utilities showed declines. Regionally, small increases in average weekly wages and salaries were recorded in the Atlantic region, the Prairie region and in British Columbia, whereas Quebec and Ontario registered declines.

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AOÛT 1970

D'après la première estimation, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100), non corrigé des variations saisonnières, était plus élevé en août qu'en juillet, mais un peu moins élevé qu'en août 1969. Toutes les branches d'activité ont enregistré des augmentations à l'exception de l'extraction minière et des finances, de l'assurance et de l'immeuble, où il y a eu diminution.

L'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé de l'emploi était le même au mois d'août qu'en juillet. Il y a eu diminution dans toutes les branches d'activité, sauf dans la construction et le commerce où il y a eu augmentation. En ce qui concerne la répartition régionale, l'emploi s'est accru dans toutes les régions, sauf dans la région de l'Atlantique où on a connu une diminution.

Dans l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne s'est accrue en août par rapport à juillet 1970. Il y a eu augmentation dans tous les secteurs d'activité à l'exception du commerce et des services, où il y a eu diminution.

Pour août 1970, aucune statistique plus détaillée par branche d'activité ou par région que celle qui figure au tableau A n'est encore connue.

## JUILLET 1970

**Emploi** - En juillet dernier, l'indice non désaisonnalisé de l'emploi (1961=100) pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité a été de 128.4, soit 1.0 p. 100 de moins qu'en juin 1970. La fabrication, le commerce et les services ont enregistré des baisses. Toutes les autres branches d'activité ont connu des augmentations. Parmi les régions, le Québec et l'Ontario ont enregistré des diminutions de 1.5 p. 100 et de 1.8 p. 100 respectivement, tandis que les trois autres régions ont connu des faibles avances. Correction faites des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi était de 125.6, soit 0.7 p. 100 de moins qu'en juin 1970 (126.5). Tous les secteurs ont participé à cette baisse, exception faite de l'extraction minière qui a connu une augmentation de 1.0 p. 100. Il y a eu diminution dans toutes les régions.

**Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne** - En juillet 1970, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des secteurs d'activité économique a été de \$127.01, soit un léger fléchissement par rapport à juin 1970 (\$127.17). Comparativement à juillet 1969, elle s'était accrue de \$8.80 (7.4 p. 100). Parmi les branches d'activité, la construction, le commerce, les finances, l'assurance et l'immeuble, et les services ont enregistré des gains. L'exploitation forestière, l'extraction minière, la fabrication et les transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique ont connu des diminutions. Quant à la répartition régionale, il y a eu de faibles augmentations dans les régions de l'Atlantique et des Prairies et en Colombie-Britannique, mais diminution au Québec et en Ontario.

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TABLE A. Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

TABLEAU A. Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division -- Branche d'activité	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
	July 1970a	August 1969	June 1970	July 1969	August 1969	July 1970a	August 1970a	June 1970	July 1970p	August 1970p	July 1970	June 1970	August 1969	July 1969
	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr	Avr
1961=100														
Dollars														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	103.1	96.9	111.2	111.8	111.8	..	84.5	84.8	123.65	124.24	132.69	131.06	131.06	131.06
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	120.2	121.5	119.4	105.3	105.3	116.3	116.8	115.6	160.52	161.74	147.97	146.06	146.06	146.06
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	125.4	122.2	125.5	127.9	125.3	121.9	121.8	122.8	133.23	133.21	122.55	122.18	122.18	122.18
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	134.6	129.6	136.4	134.1	134.1	132.9	132.3	132.5	144.79	143.75	131.99	131.14	131.14	131.14
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	118.1	116.1	117.5	121.0	118.2	113.0	113.2	114.9	122.54	123.39	113.85	113.93	113.93	113.93
Construction .....	128.8	122.2	120.1	136.3	131.1	113.5	109.5	111.6	175.20	166.59	156.85	153.31	153.31	153.31
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	..	115.1	113.9	117.2	115.6	..	110.6	110.8	142.88	143.02	135.65	134.15	134.15	134.15
Trade -- Commerce .....	137.1	136.7	139.3	134.9	133.4	138.9	138.2	138.9	101.66	102.04	94.63	95.58	95.58	95.58
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier ..	143.8	145.0	144.9	140.4	141.0	142.5	144.0	144.2	121.68	120.21	114.24	115.02	115.02	115.02
Service -- Services .....	183.9	182.9	183.7	184.3	181.8	173.7	174.1	176.8	90.61	91.80	84.89	84.38	84.38	84.38
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	130.0	128.4	129.6	131.1	129.1	125.6	125.6	126.5	128.25	127.01	119.07	118.21	118.21	118.21
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique														
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	125.0	124.4	123.9	128.6	126.4	115.6	115.9	118.2	107.20	105.29	98.38	97.17	97.17	97.17
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard .....	132.6	130.9	131.1	133.1	128.1	118.4	117.0	121.3	118.42	115.84	105.53	103.40	103.40	103.40
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse .....	147.5	146.0	145.2	154.6	149.3	131.7	129.7	135.0	84.95	82.05	79.14	82.71	82.71	82.71
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick .....	118.2	118.7	116.9	123.1	123.3	113.4	114.2	113.6	106.66	105.95	103.74	97.41	95.92	95.92
Quebec .....	126.2	125.0	125.6	130.1	127.0	115.7	115.8	119.5	102.49	103.91	96.80	96.09	96.09	96.09
Ontario .....	122.2	120.2	122.1	125.1	123.0	117.4	117.2	118.8	123.45	122.03	116.60	115.20	115.20	115.20
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies ..	134.0	131.6	134.0	132.0	130.4	131.4	131.1	131.5	133.31	132.31	122.44	122.23	122.23	122.23
Manitoba .....	130.2	129.7	128.9	132.1	131.6	124.8	123.7	125.1	124.16	122.55	121.77	114.97	114.32	114.32
Saskatchewan .....	120.6	119.9	120.0	123.0	121.8	116.4	115.3	117.0	118.43	117.50	110.12	110.06	110.06	110.06
Alberta .....	118.3	118.1	116.7	123.7	122.6	112.4	111.7	112.4	115.54	114.58	109.88	108.42	108.42	108.42
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique .....	143.1	142.7	141.4	143.2	143.6	136.9	135.9	137.0	131.20	128.96	120.30	119.45	119.45	119.45
Yukon .....	140.3	140.1	138.6	146.4	140.8	133.8	133.7	135.1	138.65	136.59	130.64	131.29	131.29	131.29
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	166.2	165.9	140.2	142.8	..	143.3	145.8	..	171.78	176.94	169.65	178.23	178.23
Canada .....	130.0	128.4	129.6	131.1	129.1	125.6	125.6	126.5	128.25	127.01	119.07	118.21	118.21	118.21

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

#### SEPTEMBER 1970

The September 1970 advance estimate of unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) indicates a decline from August 1970. Compared with the September index of last year, this advance estimate represents a downward movement. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment for September shows a modest drop from August 1970.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the composite level were higher in September than in August 1970. All industry divisions recorded increases except trade and finance, insurance and real estate where small decreases occurred. All regions reported higher average weekly wages and salaries than in August 1970.

For September 1970, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

#### AUGUST 1970

Employment - The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite at 130.4 (1961=100) in August 1970 was 1.4 per cent above the July 1970 level of 128.6. Over the month, advances were recorded in manufacturing (3.5 per cent), construction (3.2 per cent), transportation, communication and other utilities (0.4 per cent) and service (0.3 per cent). The remaining industry divisions showed declines. All regions registered increases, the largest being 1.9 per cent in both Quebec and Ontario.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment in August at 125.9 was unchanged from the preceding month's level. The employment for most industry divisions was lower than in July 1970. Increases occurred in construction (1.3 per cent) and manufacturing (0.7 per cent). With the exception of the Atlantic Region where employment dropped 1.9 per cent, all the other regions registered increases.

Average weekly wages and salaries - At the composite level, average weekly wages and salaries in August 1970 were \$128.17, a rise of 0.9 per cent from July 1970 level of \$127.02. Among the industry divisions, changes over the preceding month were increases in forestry, construction, mining, manufacturing and finance, insurance and real estate and decreases in service, transportation, communication and other utilities and trade. Average weekly wages and salaries were higher in all regions except the Atlantic Region where a decline occurred.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

#### SEPTEMBRE 1970

D'après la première estimation, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) non-désaisonnalisé pour septembre 1970 accuse une baisse par rapport à août 1970 et à septembre 1969. L'indice synthétique de l'emploi corrigé des variations saisonnières pour septembre a légèrement diminué par rapport à août 1970.

Dans l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne s'est accrue entre août et septembre 1970. Il y a eu augmentation dans toutes les branches d'activité, à l'exception du commerce et des finances, de l'assurance et de l'immeuble, où il y a eu diminution. Dans toutes les régions la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été plus élevée qu'en août 1970.

Pour septembre 1970, on ne possède pas, à l'heure actuelle, d'autres données sur la répartition par branche d'activité et par région.

#### AOÛT 1970

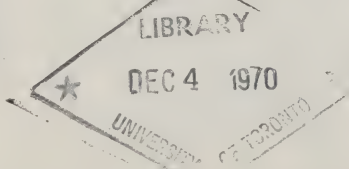
Emploi - En août 1970, l'indice non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi (1961=100) pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité était de 130.4, soit 1.4 p. 100 de plus qu'en juillet 1970 (128.6). Il y a eu augmentation dans la fabrication (3.5 p. 100), la construction (3.2 p. 100), les transports, les communications et autres services publics (0.4 p. 100) et dans les services (0.3 p. 100). Les autres branches d'activité ont accusé des baisses. Toutes les régions ont enregistré des augmentations, dont la plus élevée a été de 1.9 p. 100 (Québec et Ontario).

Correction faite des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi en août était de 125.9, soit au même niveau qu'en juillet. Dans la plupart des branches d'activité l'emploi a baissé par rapport à juillet 1970. Des augmentations ont eu lieu dans la construction (1.3 p. 100) et dans la fabrication (0.7 p. 100). Exception faite de la région de l'Atlantique où l'emploi a régressé de 1.9 p. 100, toutes les régions ont enregistré des augmentations.

Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - En août 1970, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité était de \$128.17, soit 0.9 p. 100 de plus qu'en juillet 1970 (\$127.02). En ce qui concerne les variations dans les diverses branches d'activité, il y a eu, par rapport au mois précédent, augmentation dans l'exploitation forestière, la construction, l'extraction minière, la fabrication et les finances, l'assurance et l'immeuble; il y a eu, par contre, diminution dans les services, les transports, les communications et les autres services publics et dans le commerce. Toutes les régions ont enregistré des augmentations sauf celle de l'Atlantique où il y a eu recul.

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Industry division -- Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne					
	Unadjusted					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnnières										
	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	July 1970	Sept. 1969	Aug. 1969	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	July 1970	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	July 1970	Sept. 1969	Aug. 1969	Sept. 1969
	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	Sept. 1969	Aug. 1969	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	Sept. 1969	Aug. 1969	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	Sept. 1970a	Aug. 1970p	Sept. 1969	Aug. 1969	Sept. 1969	Aug. 1969
1961=100																
Industry division -- Branche d'activité																
Forestry -- Industrie forestière	115.9	120.0	103.1	108.8	111.2	115.7	116.1	84.1	132.64	125.90	137.54	132.69	132.69	132.69	132.69	132.69
Mining -- Extraction minière	122.4	125.0	121.2	101.7	103.5	127.0	127.9	122.0	133.86	131.83	125.62	147.97	147.97	147.97	147.97	147.97
Manufacturing -- Fabrication	130.5	135.6	129.8	136.2	136.4	128.7	133.8	132.2	144.91	144.44	136.53	131.99	131.99	131.99	131.99	131.99
Durable goods -- Biens durables	115.9	118.8	115.9	119.5	121.0	112.4	113.6	113.2	123.78	122.74	115.55	113.85	113.85	113.85	113.85	113.85
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	126.5	126.5	122.6	134.8	136.3	112.8	111.5	110.1	175.07	174.13	159.67	156.85	156.85	156.85	156.85	156.85
Construction	115.9	118.8	115.9	119.5	121.0	112.4	113.6	113.2	123.78	122.74	115.55	113.85	113.85	113.85	113.85	113.85
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services	138.9	136.1	137.0	138.6	134.9	138.5	137.9	138.6	101.78	102.38	95.15	94.63	94.63	94.63	94.63	94.63
Trade -- Commerce	143.3	144.3	145.2	140.0	140.4	143.5	143.0	144.2	120.68	121.37	113.27	114.24	114.24	114.24	114.24	114.24
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier	180.8	185.3	184.8	179.2	184.3	175.9	175.0	175.9	91.20	91.06	84.55	84.89	84.89	84.89	84.89	84.89
Service -- Services	128.6	130.4	128.6	130.3	131.1	125.1	125.9	125.9	128.78	128.17	127.02	119.07	119.07	119.07	119.07	119.07
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	122.4	125.0	124.8	125.2	128.6	116.1	115.6	116.6	107.15	105.76	107.05	99.37	99.37	99.37	99.37	99.37
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	129.9	133.6	132.0	132.7	133.1	117.7	119.3	119.9	119.48	118.33	117.56	105.53	105.53	105.53	105.53	105.53
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	145.3	151.0	147.6	146.5	154.6	129.9	134.9	130.3	87.04	84.59	85.33	79.51	79.51	79.51	79.51	79.51
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	114.6	116.3	118.5	119.7	123.1	111.0	111.6	114.1	105.05	103.54	105.64	98.40	98.40	98.40	98.40	98.40
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	124.9	127.5	125.6	125.0	130.1	118.5	116.9	116.7	103.22	101.90	103.80	97.25	97.25	97.25	97.25	97.25
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	121.1	122.7	120.4	124.3	125.1	117.2	119.9	117.3	123.84	123.32	122.17	117.97	117.97	117.97	117.97	117.97
Quebec	131.9	134.3	131.8	132.1	132.0	129.5	131.7	131.6	133.85	133.54	132.45	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15	124.15
Ontario	129.1	130.1	130.1	131.2	132.1	125.4	124.7	124.6	124.74	123.95	122.84	114.46	114.46	114.46	114.46	114.46
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	120.5	120.4	119.9	122.6	123.0	116.8	116.2	115.6	116.62	115.75	114.63	109.88	109.88	109.88	109.88	109.88
Manitoba	116.7	118.1	118.5	122.4	123.7	112.2	112.2	113.2	131.37	130.53	129.12	120.30	120.30	120.30	120.30	120.30
Saskatchewan	141.5	143.1	143.6	142.1	143.2	137.9	136.9	136.9	139.86	138.39	136.39	133.76	133.76	133.76	133.76	133.76
Alberta	140.3	141.5	140.0	143.5	146.4	135.9	134.9	134.0	139.86	138.39	136.39	133.76	133.76	133.76	133.76	133.76
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	163.8	167.4	167.4	136.3	140.2	147.5	147.5	148.8	173.91	171.30	160.68	169.65	169.65	169.65	169.65	169.65
Yukon	146.3	146.3	146.3	138.5	136.8	125.1	125.9	125.9	128.78	128.17	127.02	120.49	120.49	120.49	120.49	120.49
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	128.6	130.4	128.6	130.3	131.1	125.1	125.9	125.9	128.78	128.17	127.02	120.49	120.49	120.49	120.49	120.49
Canada	128.6	130.4	128.6	130.3	131.1	125.1	125.9	125.9	128.78	128.17	127.02	120.49	120.49	120.49	120.49	120.49

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

#### OCTOBER 1970

The advance estimate of the unadjusted composite index of employment (1961=100) for October indicates a decline from September 1970. Seasonally-adjusted, the October composite index of employment shows a slight loss from the previous month's level.

Average weekly wages and salaries for the industrial composite were higher in October than in September 1970. All industry divisions shared in the increase. All regions recorded gains except the Prairie Region where a small drop occurred.

For October 1970, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

#### SEPTEMBER 1970

**Employment** - The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite at 129.4 (1961=100) in September was 1.1 per cent lower than in August 1970. Over the month, advances were recorded in trade and construction and the remaining industry divisions registered declines. Employment dropped in all regions, ranging from 0.1 per cent in British Columbia to 1.5 per cent in Ontario.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment in September at 125.9 was 0.4 per cent below the August 1970 level of 126.4. Forestry and construction recorded increases of 2.6 per cent and 1.7 per cent respectively. Manufacturing showed a decline of 1.6 per cent largely due to industrial dispute in motor vehicles. Mining registered a small decrease of 0.1 per cent. The remaining industry divisions displayed small gains. With the exception of Ontario where employment index fell 1.4 per cent, the other regions recorded increases ranging from 0.2 per cent in Quebec to 1.5 per cent in British Columbia.

**Average weekly wages and salaries** - At the industrial composite level average weekly wages and salaries at \$128.97 in September were 0.7 per cent higher than a month ago. Most industry divisions registered increases over August 1970, the largest being \$5.31 in forestry. Trade and finance, insurance and real estate showed decreases of 61 cents and 4 cents respectively. All regions experienced an increase in the average weekly wages and salaries.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

#### OCTOBRE 1970

D'après la première estimation, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) non-désaisonnalisé pour octobre a accusé une baisse par rapport à septembre 1970. L'indice synthétique de l'emploi désaisonnalisé pour octobre a marqué un léger recul par rapport au mois précédent.

Dans l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été plus élevée en octobre qu'en septembre 1970. Toutes les branches d'activité ont intervenues dans l'augmentation. Toutes les régions ont marqué des avances, sauf la région des Prairies où il s'est produit un léger recul.

Pour octobre 1970, il n'existe pas à l'heure actuelle d'autres données sur la répartition par branche d'activité et par région que celles qui figurent dans le tableau A.

#### SEPTEMBRE 1970

**Emploi** - En septembre, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi (1961=100) non-désaisonnalisé était de 129.4, soit 1.1% de moins qu'en août 1970. Des augmentations ont été enregistrées au cours du mois dans le commerce et la construction; les autres branches d'activité ont accusé des baisses. L'emploi a régressé dans toutes les régions, la diminution variant de 0.1% (Colombie-Britannique) à 1.5% (Ontario).

Correction faite des variations saisonnières, l'indice synthétique de l'emploi en septembre était de 125.9, soit 0.4% de moins qu'en août 1970 (126.4). L'exploitation forestière a enregistré une augmentation de 2.6% et la construction de 1.7%. Dans l'industrie manufacturière il y a eu un recul de 1.6% à cause surtout du conflit du travail dans l'industrie automobile. L'extraction minière a connu une légère diminution de 0.1%. Dans les autres branches d'activité il s'est produit de faibles avances. A l'exception de l'Ontario où l'indice de l'emploi a régressé de 1.4%, toutes les régions ont connu des augmentations se situant entre 0.2% (Québec) et 1.5% (Colombie-Britannique).

**Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne** - En septembre, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité était de \$128.97, soit 0.7% de plus que le mois précédent. Comparativement à août 1970, des augmentations ont eu lieu dans la plupart des branches d'activité, la plus importante - \$5.31 - ayant lieu dans l'exploitation forestière. Le commerce et les finances, l'assurance et l'immeuble ont accusé des diminutions de 61 et 4 cents respectivement. La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne s'est accrue dans toutes les régions.

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TABLE A. Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

TABLEAU A. Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
	Oct. 1970 <sup>a</sup>	Sept. 1970 <sup>p</sup>	Aug. 1970	Oct. 1969	Sept. 1969	Oct. 1970 <sup>a</sup>	Sept. 1970 <sup>p</sup>	Aug. 1970	Oct. 1970 <sup>a</sup>	Sept. 1970 <sup>p</sup>	Aug. 1970	Oct. 1969	Sept. 1969	
	Oct.	Sept.	Aug.	Oct.	Sept.	Oct.	Sept.	Aug.	Oct.	Sept.	Aug.	Oct.	Sept.	
	1970 <sup>a</sup>	1970 <sup>p</sup>	1970	1969	1969	1970 <sup>a</sup>	1970 <sup>p</sup>	1970	1970 <sup>a</sup>	1970 <sup>p</sup>	1970	1969	1969	
														dollars
1961-100														
Industry division -- Branche d'activité														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	100.4	101.4	101.4	103.3	108.8	..	83.0	80.9	..	138.27	132.96	136.68	137.54	
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	116.1	117.0	120.9	101.4	101.7	116.6	116.8	116.9	167.82	166.62	163.15	153.14	149.80	
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	121.9	123.6	126.4	126.7	127.0	120.4	120.8	122.8	135.52	134.09	133.05	125.93	125.62	
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	131.5	131.5	135.7	137.7	136.2	128.1	129.7	133.9	146.57	145.35	144.47	135.67	136.53	
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	115.6	117.2	118.9	117.7	119.5	114.3	113.7	113.7	125.49	123.86	122.50	116.70	115.55	
Construction .....	125.4	127.8	127.2	133.3	134.8	113.6	114.0	112.1	177.39	177.26	174.55	158.78	159.67	
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services d'utilité publique .....	..	115.5	116.7	112.7	114.9	..	112.4	111.8	..	144.11	142.68	136.61	135.54	
Trade -- Commerce .....	140.9	139.2	135.9	141.0	138.6	138.8	138.8	137.7	101.43	101.36	101.97	95.01	95.15	
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier ..	143.1	143.1	144.4	141.1	140.0	142.9	143.3	143.1	123.29	121.50	121.54	114.39	113.27	
Service -- Services .....	180.0	182.8	187.9	179.3	179.2	177.6	177.9	177.4	92.87	91.56	90.93	84.95	84.55	
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	128.1	129.4	130.9	130.0	130.3	125.6	125.9	126.4	129.98	128.97	128.11	120.71	120.49	
Province and region -- Province et région														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	121.8	123.9	125.5	123.9	125.2	117.1	117.5	116.0	109.07	108.54	105.82	99.17	99.37	
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	128.4	129.5	133.9	129.0	132.7	119.5	117.3	119.5	119.78	120.59	118.63	108.12	107.13	
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	147.4	149.5	154.3	145.2	146.5	133.6	133.6	137.8	82.76	84.44	84.35	79.38	79.51	
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ....	115.8	117.4	116.7	119.8	119.7	113.4	113.7	112.0	108.66	107.59	103.75	96.61	98.40	
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	122.2	125.7	128.0	123.5	125.0	118.3	119.3	117.4	105.25	104.12	101.71	98.20	97.25	
Quebec .....	121.1	122.2	123.0	123.8	124.3	118.1	118.3	118.1	125.57	123.97	123.11	118.50	117.97	
Ontario .....	131.4	132.7	134.7	132.8	132.1	129.6	130.2	132.1	134.91	133.99	133.55	124.42	124.15	
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	127.6	129.1	130.0	127.6	131.2	125.6	125.4	125.0	124.34	124.49	123.98	114.38	114.46	
Manitoba .....	118.8	120.6	121.0	122.3	122.6	116.2	116.9	116.8	118.24	118.24	118.41	109.10	109.68	
Saskatchewan .....	115.8	116.8	118.4	119.7	122.4	112.6	112.3	112.5	116.44	116.50	115.56	108.45	108.45	
Alberta .....	139.8	141.3	143.2	140.7	142.1	138.8	137.7	137.0	131.38	131.75	130.80	120.07	120.07	
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	140.5	142.4	142.6	142.2	143.5	138.6	138.0	136.0	142.16	140.13	138.13	133.17	133.76	
Yukon .....	..	162.2	163.8	135.2	136.3	..	151.6	147.5	..	177.59	173.91	170.70	160.68	
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	142.0	149.4	127.7	138.5	..	127.5	125.7	..	174.48	174.71	180.73	167.97	
Canada .....	128.1	129.4	130.9	130.0	130.3	125.6	125.9	126.4	129.98	128.97	128.11	120.71	120.49	

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ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE  
WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

NOVEMBER 1970

The November advance estimate of the unadjusted composite index of employment indicated a drop from October 1970. Seasonally-adjusted, however, the composite index of industrial employment showed no change from October 1970. Increases were recorded in mining, finance, insurance and real estate and services and there were decreases in construction, manufacturing and trade. Quebec, the Atlantic Region and British Columbia registered slight gains whereas the Prairie Region and Ontario showed small declines in employment.

Average weekly wages and salaries for the industrial composite were slightly lower in November than in October 1970. The largest changes were a decline in construction and an increase in mining. The remaining industry divisions showed little change. All regions recorded declines in November.

For November 1970, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

## OCTOBER 1970

**Employment** - The unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite (1961 = 100) was 128.6 in October, 1970. This was 0.8 per cent below the level of 129.6 reached last month. Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index of employment maintained the previous month's level of 126.1. Advances occurred in transportation, communication and other utilities, construction and service. The remaining industry divisions showed downward changes over the month. Employment was up in British Columbia, the Atlantic Region and the Prairie Region, Ontario and Quebec recorded drops.

**Average weekly wages and salaries** - Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level rose 1.0 per cent from \$128.94 in September to \$130.23 in October 1970. All industry divisions recorded higher average weekly wages and salaries except construction and trade which were virtually unchanged. All regions experienced higher average weekly wages and salaries in October. Over the year the gain in average weekly wages and salaries for the industrial composite amounted to \$9.52 (7.9 per cent).

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L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE  
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NOVEMBRE 1970

La première estimation de l'indice synthétique non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi pour novembre indique un recul par rapport à octobre. Toutefois, l'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé de l'emploi dans l'industrie est le même que pour octobre. L'extraction minière, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble et les services ont connu des augmentations mais la construction, l'industrie manufacturière et le commerce ont enregistré des diminutions. Le nombre de personnes employées a légèrement augmenté au Québec, dans la région de l'Atlantique et en Colombie-Britannique mais il a un peu diminué dans la région des Prairies et en Ontario.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été un peu moins élevée en novembre qu'en octobre. Les variations les plus importantes ont été une baisse dans la construction et une hausse dans l'extraction minière. Dans les autres branches d'activité, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne est demeurée à peu près la même. Elle a été moins élevée dans toutes les régions en novembre.

Il n'existe pas encore, pour novembre, d'autres données sur la répartition par branche d'activité et par région que celles qui figurent dans le tableau A.

## OCTOBRE 1970

**Emploi** - En octobre, l'indice non-désaisonnalisé (1961-100) de l'emploi pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité était de 128.6, soit 0.8% de moins qu'en septembre (129.6). Après correction des variations saisonnières, cet indice était au même niveau qu'en septembre (126.1). Les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique, la construction et les services ont enregistré des augmentations, mais dans les autres branches d'activité le nombre de personnes employées a diminué par rapport à septembre. Ce nombre a augmenté en Colombie-Britannique, dans la région de l'Atlantique et dans la région des Prairies, mais diminué en Ontario et au Québec.

**Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne** - La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité s'est accrue de 1.0% en octobre pour atteindre \$130.23 contre \$128.94 en septembre. La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté dans toutes les branches d'activité sauf dans la construction et le commerce, où elle a à peine changé. En octobre, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne était de \$9.52 (7.9%) plus élevée.

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TABLE A. Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries  
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Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne			
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnnières								
	Nov. 1970a	Oct. 1970p	Sept. 1970	Nov. 1969	Oct. 1969	Nov. 1970a	Oct. 1970p	Sept. 1970	Nov. 1970a	Oct. 1970p	Sept. 1970	Nov. 1969	Oct. 1969	
	1961=100										dollars			
<u>Industry division --</u> <u>Branche d'activité</u>														
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	92.0	100.3	96.6	103.3	..	78.9	82.9	..	149.86	138.34	140.79	136.68	
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	114.7	115.3	117.2	111.4	101.4	116.0	113.8	117.0	171.26	168.82	166.31	153.91	153.14	
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	120.6	122.3	123.7	126.4	126.7	120.1	120.8	120.9	136.34	135.85	133.95	127.18	125.93	
Durable goods -- Biens durables ...	128.5	130.2	131.3	139.5	137.7	128.1	128.7	129.5	147.42	147.04	145.19	137.13	135.67	
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	114.2	115.8	117.6	115.9	117.7	114.0	114.4	114.1	126.25	125.65	123.78	117.49	116.70	
Construction .....	118.9	126.5	127.8	126.0	133.3	114.5	114.6	114.0	175.69	178.26	178.42	160.00	158.78	
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services	..	114.5	115.8	112.5	112.7	..	113.4	112.7	..	145.86	143.91	137.00	136.61	
Trade -- Commerce .....	144.2	141.1	139.5	145.2	141.0	138.1	139.0	139.1	100.98	101.18	101.26	94.79	95.01	
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier ...	143.6	143.1	143.3	141.8	141.1	143.6	142.9	143.5	123.06	122.93	122.19	115.07	114.39	
Service -- Services .....	179.0	181.5	183.6	175.3	179.3	180.8	179.1	178.6	92.39	92.30	91.39	86.34	84.95	
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	127.6	128.6	129.6	130.1	130.0	126.1	126.1	126.1	129.88	130.23	128.94	121.42	120.71	
<u>Province and region --</u> <u>Province et région</u>														
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	121.8	123.8	124.9	120.5	123.9	119.5	119.0	118.4	108.67	108.92	108.36	101.01	99.17	
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	127.7	131.0	131.3	122.4	129.0	123.8	121.9	119.0	119.62	120.69	120.45	111.14	108.12	
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	143.9	148.0	152.6	132.8	145.2	133.2	134.2	136.4	83.16	82.60	82.57	82.76	79.38	
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ...	117.0	117.8	118.0	118.5	119.8	115.5	115.3	114.3	106.72	107.06	107.65	97.99	96.61	
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	121.6	124.0	126.5	120.5	123.5	120.4	120.1	120.1	106.18	105.79	103.82	99.71	98.20	
Québec .....	120.2	121.2	122.5	122.2	123.8	118.3	118.0	118.6	125.74	126.00	123.90	118.41	118.50	
Ontario .....	120.2	121.8	123.7	134.9	132.8	129.3	130.0	130.2	134.53	134.73	133.90	125.21	124.42	
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	125.9	127.7	129.0	128.6	130.0	125.4	125.7	125.3	124.44	125.19	124.83	115.12	114.38	
Manitoba .....	119.2	119.2	120.4	120.6	122.3	116.8	116.6	116.7	117.71	118.01	117.87	108.57	109.10	
Saskatchewan .....	114.1	115.9	116.5	116.9	119.7	112.6	112.7	112.0	117.18	117.67	116.80	110.39	109.26	
Alberta .....	137.5	139.6	141.3	140.2	140.7	137.8	138.6	137.7	131.79	132.62	132.54	121.51	120.07	
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	141.3	142.8	142.8	142.4	142.2	141.7	140.9	138.3	141.77	142.69	140.02	134.23	133.17	
Yukon .....	..	159.5	164.6	136.0	135.2	..	155.2	153.9	..	178.97	175.82	167.88	170.70	
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	138.4	142.2	120.0	127.7	..	138.4	127.7	..	179.85	174.53	173.26	180.73	
Canada .....	127.6	128.6	129.6	130.1	130.0	126.1	126.1	126.1	129.88	130.23	128.94	121.42	120.71	

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The advance estimate of the unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite indicated a drop in December over November 1970. It was also lower than the level recorded in December 1969. Seasonally-adjusted, however, the composite index of employment showed an improvement over November as increases were recorded in mining, manufacturing and service which were partly offset by decreases in construction, trade and in finance, insurance and real estate. All regions experienced gains in their seasonally-adjusted composite index of employment.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level were lower than a month ago. This was mainly the result of short-time associated with the year-end holiday season. All industry divisions recorded declines except trade and finance, insurance and real estate, and service which showed small gains. Average weekly wages and salaries were lower than in November in all regions.

For December 1970, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

NOVEMBER 1970

Employment - The November unadjusted index of employment for the industrial composite (1961=100) at a level of 127.6 was 1.0 per cent lower than 129.0 reached in October 1970. This was also below (1.9 per cent) last year's level of 130.1. Most industry divisions recorded declines from October 1970. All regions experienced declines in employment. Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment showed a decline from the previous month's level. The only industry divisions to record gains in employment were service (0.7 per cent) and finance insurance and real estate (0.3 per cent). Mining maintained the October 1970 level and the remaining industry divisions experienced declines. All regions recorded declines except Quebec where employment was unchanged and British Columbia where it increased 0.4 per cent.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries - Average weekly wages and salaries for the industrial composite were down \$0.31 (0.2 per cent) in November from \$130.22 reached in October 1970. In comparison with the month of November last year, average weekly wages and salaries were higher \$8.49 (7.0 per cent). Over-the-month, increases in mining, manufacturing, finance, insurance and real estate and service were more than offset by decreases in construction, forestry, transportation, communication and other utilities. Average weekly wages and salaries declined modestly in all regions.

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EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE  
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La première estimation de l'indice non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité indique pour décembre un recul par rapport à novembre. L'indice se situe également au-dessous du niveau enregistré pour décembre 1969. Toutefois, l'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé de l'emploi reflète une amélioration par rapport à novembre, vu qu'il y a eu dans l'extraction minière, dans l'industrie manufacturière et dans les services des augmentations que les diminutions dans la construction, dans le commerce et dans les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble ont partiellement compensées. L'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé accuse des augmentations dans toutes les régions.

La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité était moins élevée que le mois précédent, surtout à cause du raccourcissement des horaires hebdomadaires au temps des fêtes. Toutes les branches d'activité accusent des diminutions, sauf le commerce, les services et les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble, où il y a eu de légères augmentations. La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été moins élevée qu'en novembre dans toutes les régions.

Il n'existe pas encore, pour décembre, d'autres données sur les branches d'activité et sur les régions que celles qui figurent dans le tableau A.

NOVEMBRE 1970

Emploi - En novembre, l'indice non-désaisonnalisé (1961=100) de l'emploi dans toutes les branches d'activité, de 127.6, était de 1.0% inférieur à celui d'octobre 1970 (129.0). Ce chiffre est également de 1.9% inférieur au niveau (130.1) de novembre 1969. La plupart des branches d'activité ont enregistré des baisses par rapport à octobre 1970. L'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé de l'emploi indique une diminution par rapport au mois précédent. Les seules branches d'activité où le nombre de personnes employées était plus élevé sont les services (0.7%) et les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble (0.3%). L'extraction minière est restée au niveau d'octobre 1970 et les autres branches d'activité ont accusé des diminutions. Toutes les régions ont enregistré des baisses, sauf le Québec où le nombre de personnes employées est resté le même, et la Colombie-Britannique où il a augmenté de 0.4%.

Rémunération Hebdomadaire Moyenne - La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité a baissé en novembre de \$0.31 (0.2%) par rapport aux \$130.22 d'octobre 1970. Par rapport à novembre 1969, elle était de \$8.49 (7.0%) plus élevée. Les augmentations par rapport au mois précédent dans l'extraction minière, l'industrie manufacturière, les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble et les services ont été plus que contrebalancées par les diminutions dans la construction, l'exploitation forestière et les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique. La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a baissé légèrement dans toutes les régions.

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

JANUARY 1971

The January advance index of employment for the industrial composite, unadjusted for seasonal variations, indicated a decline from December 1970. After allowing for seasonal variations, the employment index virtually maintained the level recorded in December 1970. Among the industry divisions for which data are presented in Table A, construction, mining and service recorded declines; trade showed an increase whereas the remaining industries were virtually unchanged. The Atlantic Region and Ontario experienced a rise in their seasonally-adjusted composite index of employment and the remaining regions, declines.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level were higher in January 1971 than in December 1970. This represented the return to normal activity following short-time associated with the year-end holiday season. All industry divisions and all regions registered increases in average weekly wages and salaries.

For January 1971, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

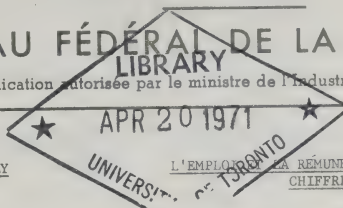
DECEMBER 1970

Employment - The index of employment for the industrial composite (1961=100), unadjusted for seasonal variations, was 125.1 in December 1970. This was 2.0% lower than November 1970. All regions experienced lower levels of employment than those recorded in November 1970. Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index showed a 0.8% gain in employment in December over November 1970. The major factors contributing to this increase was a 1.7% increase in employment in manufacturing owing to the settlement of industrial dispute in motor vehicle manufacturing. Seasonally-adjusted indexes for the regions showed gains in Ontario, Quebec and the Prairie Region and decreases in the Atlantic Region and British Columbia.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries - Average weekly wages and salaries for the industrial composite dropped \$2.42 (1.9%) in December from \$129.84 recorded in November 1970. Decreases usually occur in December because of short-time work, unpaid holidays as well as layoffs and shut-downs in some establishments. Therefore, average weekly wages and salaries were lower than November 1970 in most industry divisions. Increases occurred in trade (\$1.38), finance, insurance and real estate (\$1.06) and service (\$0.27). All regions recorded decreases.

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

JANVIER 1971

La première estimation de l'indice synthétique non-saisonnalisé de l'emploi pour janvier indique un recul par rapport à décembre 1970. Après correction des variations saisonnières, l'indice de l'emploi s'est pratiquement maintenu au niveau de décembre 1970. Parmi les branches d'activité qui font l'objet du tableau A, la construction, l'extraction minière et les services ont enregistré des diminutions, le commerce a connu une augmentation, alors que les autres branches restaient pratiquement inchangées. Dans la région de l'Atlantique et en Ontario, l'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé de l'emploi a progressé, alors qu'il régressait dans les autres régions.

Au niveau d'ensemble des industries, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été plus élevée en janvier 1971 qu'en décembre 1970. Cette situation découlait du retour à l'activité normale après la diminution des horaires de travail à l'occasion des fêtes de fin d'année. La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a augmenté dans toutes les branches d'activité et dans toutes les régions.

Pour janvier 1971, il n'existe pas encore d'autres données sur la répartition par branche d'activité et par région que celles du tableau A.

DÉCEMBRE 1970

Emploi - En décembre, l'indice non-saisonnalisé de l'emploi (1961=100) pour l'ensemble des branches d'activité était de 125.1, soit 2.0% de moins que novembre 1970. Dans toutes les régions, le nombre des personnes employées a été moins élevé qu'en novembre 1970. L'indice synthétique désaisonnalisé de l'emploi a toutefois été supérieur de 0.8% à celui de novembre 1970. Les principaux facteurs de cette progression ont été une augmentation de 1.7% de l'emploi dans l'industrie manufacturière, ainsi que le règlement des conflits ouvriers dans l'industrie de l'automobile. L'indice désaisonnalisé de l'emploi a progressé en Ontario, au Québec et dans la région des Prairies, mais régressé dans la région de l'Atlantique et en Colombie-Britannique.

Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - En décembre, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité a diminué de \$2.42 (1.9%) par rapport aux \$129.84 de novembre 1970. La rémunération diminue habituellement en décembre à cause des réductions d'horaire, des congés non-rémunérés, ainsi que des mises à pied et de la fermeture temporaire de certains établissements. Il s'ensuit donc que la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été inférieure à celle de novembre 1970 dans la plupart des branches d'activité. Des augmentations ont été constatées dans le commerce (\$1.38), dans les finances, les assurances et l'immeuble (\$1.06) et dans les services (\$0.27). La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été moins élevée dans toutes les régions.

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# Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi				Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne								
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières				Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières								
	1961=100				dollars								
	Jan. 1971a	Dec. 1970p	Nov. 1970	Jan. 1970	Jan. 1971a	Dec. 1970p	Nov. 1970	Jan. 1970	Dec. 1969				
Industry division -- Branche d'activité	Janv.	Déc.	Nov.	Janv.	Janv.	Déc.	Nov.	Janv.	Janv.				
Forestry -- Industrie forestière	..	70.9	84.9	81.7	85.5	..	75.0	78.3	138.54	149.05	137.41	133.27	
Mining -- Extraction minière	112.7	113.7	114.6	111.6	111.2	114.6	116.6	115.9	169.95	171.68	160.51	153.28	
Manufacturing -- Fabrication	119.8	119.6	120.7	122.5	123.3	122.4	122.3	120.2	138.66	135.13	136.37	129.28	
Durable goods -- Biens durables	130.3	129.9	128.4	134.4	136.5	132.1	131.4	127.5	148.47	144.90	147.34	129.80	
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables	111.3	111.3	114.5	112.8	112.6	114.6	115.0	114.3	129.36	125.90	126.41	115.26	
Construction	93.7	97.4	118.2	102.8	106.8	107.5	112.0	113.8	166.46	147.22	177.30	130.09	
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services d'utilité publique	..	113.3	113.6	108.8	109.9	..	115.0	113.3	..	145.05	145.50	133.50	
Trade -- Commerce	138.9	144.9	144.8	137.3	145.8	141.1	137.6	138.7	102.94	102.01	100.63	94.97	
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble	143.5	143.6	144.0	142.5	141.9	144.2	144.2	144.0	124.14	123.71	122.65	118.09	
Service -- Services	172.7	174.5	180.1	169.9	169.3	180.7	182.3	181.9	95.50	92.04	91.77	86.35	
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique	123.2	125.1	127.7	124.4	126.5	127.4	127.2	126.2	131.25	127.42	129.84	116.89	
Province and region -- Province et région	Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	110.9	114.0	121.0	112.0	115.4	117.5	116.9	118.7	107.96	109.37	103.51	97.80
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve	110.7	113.4	125.8	111.3	113.5	121.9	119.4	122.0	123.44	120.36	120.16	113.68	107.15
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard	123.4	131.4	141.7	117.6	126.1	145.7	131.1	131.2	88.06	83.06	83.52	84.94	79.77
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse	108.3	111.4	116.4	112.5	115.5	112.2	113.1	114.9	107.90	103.61	107.51	99.51	94.14
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	113.1	116.0	121.7	111.5	115.4	119.1	119.1	120.5	112.12	107.66	106.99	103.52	98.00
Quebec	115.1	116.7	120.3	116.4	117.9	119.3	119.4	118.6	126.59	123.28	125.84	119.33	113.14
Ontario	129.4	130.9	131.8	129.6	131.8	132.1	132.0	129.9	135.70	131.59	134.30	127.14	120.43
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	120.2	122.6	125.3	123.0	125.5	125.0	125.3	124.8	121.88	124.00	117.35	112.26	105.86
Manitoba	112.5	114.9	117.8	115.3	117.0	116.6	117.6	116.7	121.34	116.73	117.61	111.35	105.86
Saskatchewan	109.6	112.3	114.0	109.0	114.7	116.6	114.7	112.5	118.34	115.24	116.23	111.96	108.99
Alberta	131.0	133.4	136.3	135.3	137.2	135.5	136.5	136.6	132.67	127.91	131.32	123.53	117.99
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique	134.0	137.4	141.0	137.3	139.6	140.7	141.3	141.4	142.34	139.40	142.08	134.82	129.42
Yukon	..	153.7	156.7	131.2	132.1	..	169.3	163.3	..	180.68	181.63	167.92	162.74
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest	..	122.2	126.0	116.4	117.0	..	138.2	132.8	..	171.48	174.96	175.23	162.67
Canada	123.2	125.1	127.7	124.4	126.5	127.4	127.2	126.2	131.25	127.42	129.84	123.08	116.89

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### ADVANCE STATEMENT ON EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES

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### L'EMPLOI ET LA RÉMUNÉRATION HEBDOMADAIRE MOYENNE CHIFFRES PROVISOIRES

FÉVRIER 1971

The February advance estimate of the industrial composite index of employment, not adjusted for seasonal variations, indicated a small decline from January 1971.

Seasonally-adjusted, the composite index of employment showed no change from January. Among the industry divisions for which data are given in Table A, largest change was recorded in construction. Finance, insurance and real estate showed small increases; manufacturing and service maintained the January 1971 level. The remaining industry divisions showed little change.

Average weekly wages and salaries for the industrial composite were higher in February than in January 1971. All industry divisions shown shared in the increase.

For February 1971, additional industry and area details, other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

JANUARY 1971

The January index of employment (1961=100) for the industrial composite, not adjusted for seasonal variations, declined 1.9% to 123.0 from 125.4 recorded in December 1970. Over the year, the index was 1.1% lower than the January 1970 level of 124.4. All industry divisions shared in the decline from December 1970 except mining which recorded a small gain. All regions experienced declines in employment.

Seasonally-adjusted, the industrial composite index showed a slight drop over the month (0.3%) in employment. With the exception of trade and finance, insurance and real estate, which showed no change from December 1970, all industry divisions registered decreases in employment. The largest decline was recorded in construction. Among the regions, the Atlantic Region gained 1.2%, Quebec and the Prairie Region maintained their December 1970 levels whereas Ontario and British Columbia recorded declines of 0.9% and 1.1%, respectively.

Average weekly wages and salaries - At the industrial composite level rose \$3.51 (2.8%) in January from \$127.31 recorded in December 1970. Over the year, the gain in average weekly wages and salaries amounted to \$7.74 (6.3%) from \$123.08 recorded in January 1970. The increase in January 1971 resulted mainly from the resumption of normal activity following short-time layoffs and some shutdowns in December associated with holiday season. All industry divisions contributed to the rise and all regions experienced higher average weekly wages and salaries for the industrial composite. Among the industry divisions, the largest relative increases were \$24.63 in construction; \$7.02 in forestry and \$3.04 in manufacturing.

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Après la première estimation, l'indice synthétique non désaisonnalisé de l'emploi a subi une légère régression en février par rapport à janvier.

L'indice désaisonnalisé n'a pas varié. Parmi les branches d'activité dont les données figurent au tableau A, c'est la construction qui a enregistré la plus forte variation. Le groupe des finances, de l'assurance et de l'immobilier a augmenté faiblement. L'industrie manufacturière et les services se sont maintenus au niveau de janvier. Les autres branches d'activité ont à peine varié.

Pour l'ensemble, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été plus élevée en février qu'en janvier. Toutes les branches d'activité ont leur part dans l'augmentation.

Les autres données sur la répartition par branche d'activité et par région ne sont pas encore connues pour février 1971.

JANVIER 1971

En janvier, l'indice synthétique non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi (1961=100) était de 123.0, soit 1.9% de moins qu'en décembre 1970 (125.4) et 1.1% de moins qu'en janvier 1970 (124.4). Toutes les branches d'activité ont eu leur part dans la diminution de l'emploi, à l'exception de l'extraction minière, qui a enregistré un léger gain. L'emploi a diminué dans toutes les régions.

L'indice désaisonnalisé a subi une légère régression (0.3%) au cours du mois. L'emploi a diminué dans toutes les branches d'activité, sauf dans le commerce et les finances, l'assurance et l'immobilier, où il est resté au même niveau qu'en décembre 1970. La construction a enregistré la plus forte diminution. Sur le plan régional, la région de l'Atlantique a enregistré une augmentation de 1.2%, le Québec et la région des Prairies ont connu le même niveau qu'en décembre 1970, mais l'Ontario et la Colombie-Britannique ont subi des diminutions de 0.9% et 1.1% respectivement.

Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - En janvier, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité a monté de \$3.51, soit de 2.8% par rapport à décembre 1970 (\$127.31). De janvier 1970 à janvier 1971, la rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne s'est accrue de \$7.74 (6.3%); elle était de \$123.08 en janvier 1970. L'augmentation de janvier 1971 est due à la reprise de l'activité normale après les mises à pied de courte durée et les fermetures de courte durée à l'occasion des fêtes en décembre. La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne a été plus élevée dans toutes les branches d'activité et dans toutes les régions. Les augmentations les plus fortes ont été enregistrées dans la construction (\$24.63), l'exploitation forestière (\$7.02) et la fabrication (\$3.04).

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TABLE A. Advance Employment Index Numbers and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries

TABLEAU A. Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires

Industry division and province  Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers Nombres-indices de l'emploi										Average weekly wages and salaries Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne					
	Unadjusted Non corrigés des variations saisonnières					Seasonally-adjusted Corrigés des variations saisonnières										
	Feb. 1971a	Jan. 1971p	Dec. 1970	Feb. 1970	Jan. 1970	Feb. 1971a	Jan. 1971p	Dec. 1970	Feb. 1971a	Jan. 1971p	Dec. 1970	Feb. 1970	Jan. 1970	Jan. 1970		
	Fév.	Janv.	Déc.	Fév.	Janv.	Fév.	Janv.	Déc.	Fév.	Janv.	Déc.	Fév.	Janv.	Janv.		
	1961=100										dollars					
<b>Industry division -- Branche d'activité</b>																
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	67.7	72.2	78.1	81.7	..	76.0	76.4	..	143.55	136.53	149.16	137.41	149.16	137.41	137.41
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	115.2	114.4	113.8	113.1	111.6	116.7	116.3	116.7	116.7	171.87	170.47	168.27	162.34	162.34	160.51	160.51
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	119.4	119.2	119.7	122.6	122.5	121.8	121.8	122.4	122.4	138.64	138.14	135.10	130.17	130.17	129.32	129.32
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	130.5	129.5	130.1	135.1	134.4	132.2	131.3	131.6	131.6	149.10	148.55	144.76	139.38	139.38	138.44	138.44
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	110.6	110.9	111.2	112.5	112.8	113.7	114.2	114.9	114.9	128.60	128.32	125.96	121.20	121.20	120.51	120.51
Construction .....	96.4	96.4	98.6	102.9	102.8	111.7	110.6	113.4	113.4	172.89	172.04	147.41	162.09	162.09	160.48	160.48
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, com- munications et autres services .....	..	110.8	113.1	108.3	108.8	..	115.3	115.5	115.5	145.55	145.04	138.88	137.09	138.88	137.09	137.09
Trade -- Commerce .....	134.9	136.3	145.8	136.8	137.3	139.2	138.4	138.4	138.4	104.33	103.21	101.75	98.07	98.07	97.45	97.45
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immeuble ..	143.8	143.7	143.8	142.9	142.5	144.5	144.4	144.4	144.4	125.41	125.29	123.70	116.80	116.80	118.09	118.09
Service -- Services .....	174.6	173.9	174.6	170.4	169.9	182.0	182.0	182.4	182.4	94.86	94.12	92.00	89.85	89.85	88.63	88.63
<b>Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....</b>	122.8	123.0	125.4	124.3	124.4	127.2	127.2	127.6	127.6	131.59	130.82	127.31	124.14	124.14	123.08	123.08
<b>Province and region -- Province et région</b>																
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	..	111.6	113.9	110.4	112.0	..	118.2	116.8	..	112.61	107.65	104.64	103.51	104.64	103.51	103.51
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	..	112.5	113.6	109.8	111.3	..	123.9	119.6	..	121.39	118.44	116.68	113.68	116.68	113.68	113.68
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du- Prince-Édouard .....	..	122.3	128.1	112.7	117.6	..	144.4	127.8	..	87.64	84.36	85.35	84.94	85.35	84.94	84.94
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ....	..	108.8	110.8	109.9	112.5	..	112.7	112.5	..	109.93	103.42	100.87	99.51	100.87	99.51	99.51
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	..	113.3	116.5	111.1	111.5	..	119.3	119.6	..	112.49	107.98	103.15	103.52	107.98	103.15	103.52
Québec .....	..	115.2	116.7	116.4	116.4	..	119.4	119.4	..	125.78	123.11	119.89	119.33	123.11	119.89	119.33
Ontario .....	..	128.7	129.7	129.6	129.6	..	131.3	132.5	..	135.43	131.48	128.34	127.14	131.48	128.34	127.14
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	..	120.8	122.9	122.6	123.0	..	125.6	125.6	..	124.98	121.80	118.94	117.35	121.80	118.94	117.35
Manitoba .....	..	113.8	114.7	115.0	115.3	..	118.0	117.4	..	117.55	116.53	112.88	111.35	116.53	112.88	111.35
Saskatchewan .....	..	107.7	111.3	108.0	109.0	..	114.6	113.7	..	116.27	115.02	113.03	111.96	115.02	113.03	111.96
Alberta .....	..	132.1	134.6	134.9	135.3	..	136.7	137.7	..	133.29	127.88	125.23	123.53	127.88	125.23	123.53
British Columbia -- Colombie- Britannique .....	..	133.6	137.9	138.0	137.3	..	140.8	141.8	..	143.04	139.40	135.58	134.82	139.40	135.58	134.82
Yukon .....	..	152.7	155.3	138.5	131.2	..	174.7	171.0	..	183.99	185.54	170.48	167.92	185.54	170.48	167.92
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	118.3	120.2	114.9	116.4	..	132.5	135.9	..	177.92	172.23	174.75	175.23	172.23	174.75	175.23
Canada .....	122.8	123.0	125.4	124.3	124.4	127.2	127.2	127.6	127.6	131.59	130.82	127.31	124.14	127.31	124.14	123.08
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MARCH 1971

The March advance estimate of employment for the industrial composite, unadjusted for seasonal variations indicated an increase from February 1971 and a slight decline from March 1970.

After adjustment for seasonal variations, the employment index rose to 127.7 from the level of 127.2 recorded last month. Among the industry divisions, for which data are presented in Table A, all showed increases except service which declined slightly.

Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level at \$132.10 were higher in March than in February. Among the industry divisions shown, increases were recorded in all except mining which declined.

For March 1971, additional industry and area details other than those presented in Table A are not yet available.

Complete figures for February will be available in the March-April publication of "Employment, Earnings and Hours". (DBS Catalogue No. 72-002)

FEBRUARY 1971

Employment - The February index of employment for the industrial composite (1961=100), not adjusted for seasonal variations, was 122.7. This was 0.2 per cent lower than the 123.0 recorded in January and 1.3 per cent lower than the February 1970 level of 124.3. There were declines from January in employment in forestry, mining and trade and small increases in the other divisions.

Seasonally-adjusted, however, the industrial composite index rose by 0.3 per cent to 127.2. There were increases in all industry divisions except mining and construction, which declined, and manufacturing which showed no change.

Average Weekly Wages and Salaries - Average weekly wages and salaries at the industrial composite level rose \$0.88 (0.7 per cent) to \$131.70 in February. Over-the-year, the increase in average weekly wages and salaries was \$7.54 (6.1 per cent) from the level of \$124.16 recorded in February 1970. There were increases from January in forestry, construction, trade, service, and transportation, communication and other utilities, and declines in the other divisions. The largest increases were in forestry (\$10.37) and construction (\$4.58).

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MARS 1971

D'après la première estimation, l'indice synthétique non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi était plus élevé qu'en février 1971, mais légèrement moins élevé qu'en mars 1970.

Correction faite des variations saisonnières, l'indice de l'emploi s'est établi à 127.7, comparativement à 127.2 le mois précédent. Toutes les branches d'activité sur lesquelles le tableau A renferme des données ont connu des avances, excepté la correction faite des services où il y a eu une légère régression.

La moyenne des rémunérations hebdomadaires dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité, soit \$132.10, était plus élevée en mars qu'en février. Il y a eu des augmentations dans toutes les branches observées sauf l'extraction minière, où il y a eu une diminution.

On ne possède pas encore pour mars 1971 d'autres données sur les branches d'activité ou sur les régions que celles qui figurent dans le tableau A.

On trouvera des chiffres complets sur le mois de février dans la livraison de mars-avril de la publication intitulée Employment, Earnings and Hours (n° 72-002 au catalogue du B.F.S.).

FÉVRIER 1971

Emploi - L'indice non-désaisonnalisé de l'emploi dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité (1961=100) était de 122.7, soit 0.2% de moins qu'en janvier (123.0) et 1.3% de moins qu'en février 1970 (124.3). Les effectifs occupés étaient moins nombreux en février qu'en janvier dans l'exploitation forestière, l'extraction minière et le commerce, et légèrement plus nombreux dans les autres branches.

Correction faite des variations saisonnières, par contre, l'indice synthétique était en hausse de 0.3%, ayant atteint 127.2. Il y a eu des avances dans toutes les branches d'activité sauf l'extraction minière et la construction, où il y a eu des baisses, et la fabrication où il n'y a eu aucune variation.

Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - La rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne dans l'ensemble des branches d'activité a augmenté de 88¢ (0.7%) en février, en atteignant \$131.70. Par rapport à février 1970, l'augmentation de la moyenne des rémunérations était de \$7.54 (6.1%). Il y a eu des hausses par rapport à janvier dans l'exploitation forestière, la construction, le commerce, les services, et les transports, les communications et les autres services d'utilité publique, et des baisses dans les autres branches d'activité. Les hausses les plus fortes se sont produites dans l'exploitation forestière (\$10.37) et la construction (\$4.58).

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Nombres-indices de l'emploi et rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne - chiffres provisoires											
Industry division Branche d'activité et province	Employment index numbers						Average weekly wages and salaries				
	Nombres-indices de l'emploi						Rémunération hebdomadaire moyenne				
	Unadjusted			Seasonally-adjusted							
	Non corrigés des variations saisonnières			Corrigés des variations saisonnières							
March 1971a	Janv. 1971p	March 1970	Feb. 1970	March 1971a	Janv. 1971p	Jan. 1971p	Feb. 1971p	March 1970	Jan. 1971p	March 1970	Feb. 1970
Mars	Janv.	Mars	Fév.	Mars	Janv.	Janv.	Fév.	Mars	Janv.	Mars	Fév.
1961=100											
Industry division -- Branche d'activité											
Forestry -- Industrie forestière ....	..	67.7	68.3	78.1	..	77.9	75.5	..	153.92	143.55	144.87
Mining -- Extraction minière .....	115.0	113.7	113.2	113.1	115.1	114.3	115.3	169.30	170.27	170.47	162.34
Manufacturing -- Fabrication .....	120.3	119.5	122.6	122.6	122.2	121.6	121.6	139.60	137.50	138.14	130.20
Durable goods -- Biens durables ..	131.0	129.3	135.0	135.1	131.9	131.4	131.1	149.58	148.25	148.55	139.35
Non-durable goods -- Biens non durables .....	111.8	110.9	112.5	112.5	114.5	113.8	113.9	130.10	127.42	128.32	121.27
Construction .....	97.9	96.5	102.4	102.9	111.5	110.5	110.6	176.74	176.62	172.04	162.09
Transportation, communication and other utilities -- Transports, communications et autres services	..	110.9	108.1	108.3	..	115.2	114.7	..	146.05	145.55	139.15
Trade -- Commerce .....	136.0	134.4	136.3	137.2	139.0	138.5	138.2	104.03	104.00	103.21	98.80
Finance, insurance and real estate -- Finances, assurances et immobilier ..	144.5	143.7	142.8	142.9	145.0	144.4	144.3	126.93	125.22	125.29	117.86
Service -- Services .....	175.0	174.6	173.9	170.4	181.6	181.9	181.8	94.70	94.47	94.12	89.55
Industrial composite -- Indice synthétique .....	123.9	122.7	123.0	124.2	127.7	127.2	126.8	132.10	131.70	130.82	123.80
Province and region -- Province et région											
Atlantic region -- Région Atlantique	..	111.6	109.7	110.4	..	..	118.1	..	..	112.61	104.82
Newfoundland -- Terre-Neuve .....	..	112.5	111.9	109.8	..	..	123.4	..	..	121.39	117.42
Prince Edward Island -- Île-du-Prince-Édouard .....	..	122.3	113.1	112.7	..	..	143.1	..	..	87.64	85.35
Nova Scotia -- Nouvelle-Écosse ..	..	108.8	108.7	109.9	..	..	112.5	..	..	109.93	101.23
New Brunswick -- Nouveau-Brunswick	..	113.3	109.2	111.1	..	..	120.3	..	..	112.49	101.71
Quebec .....	..	115.2	116.4	116.4	..	..	119.1	..	..	125.78	119.31
Ontario .....	128.7	129.5	129.7	129.7	..	..	131.0	..	..	125.43	128.39
Prairie region -- Région des Prairies	..	120.8	123.0	122.6	..	..	125.4	..	..	124.98	118.40
Manitoba .....	113.8	115.7	115.0	115.0	..	..	117.9	..	..	117.55	113.02
Saskatchewan .....	107.7	108.6	108.0	108.0	..	..	114.4	..	..	116.27	112.82
Alberta .....	132.1	135.0	134.9	134.9	..	..	136.5	..	..	133.29	124.13
British Columbia -- Colombie-Britannique .....	133.6	138.0	138.0	138.0	..	..	139.3	..	..	133.04	125.88
Yukon .....	..	152.7	142.2	138.5	..	..	170.7	..	..	183.99	170.45
Northwest Territories -- Territoires du Nord-Ouest .....	..	118.3	115.4	114.9	..	..	130.7	..	..	177.92	174.77
Canada .....	123.9	122.7	123.0	124.2	127.7	127.2	126.8	132.10	131.70	130.82	123.80
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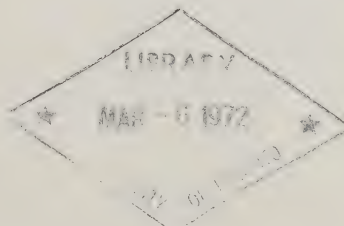
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